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Our series of special Fall Fashion Numbers begins with this issue. In these numbers the changing course of the new Autumn mode will be made perfectly clear to you; so that you can go to your dressmaker and milliner and quickly decide upon the models that are sure to be in favor.

The next Vogue—the Forecast of Fall Fashions Number—will contain the first authentic news of the Paris openings. A fortnight afterwards, the Autumn Pattern Number will bring you the later developments, many of them in Vogue Pattern form. On October 15th the final, crystallized expressions of the Fall mode will be presented—along with hundreds of invaluable shopping suggestions—in the Autumn Shopping Number.

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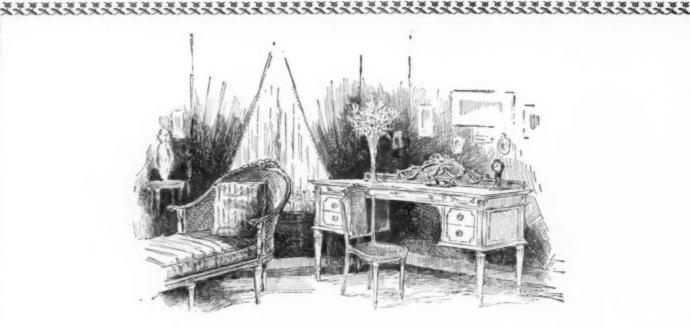
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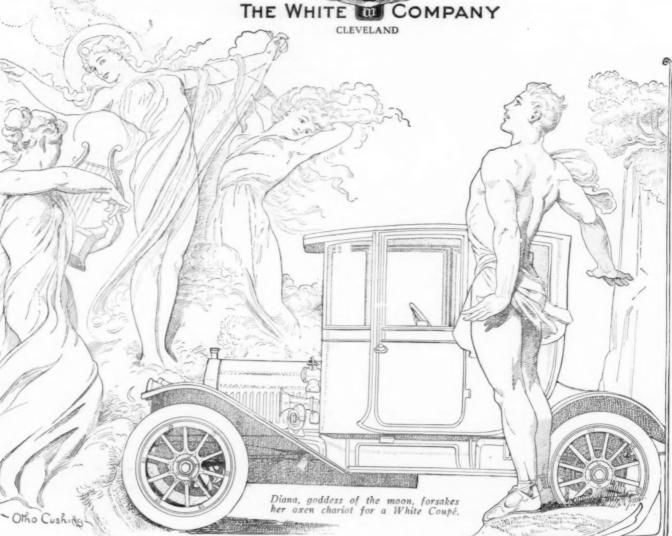


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THIS column is written for the woman who has not missed one number of Vogue since the beginning. Others, of course, may read it. But they read it at their own risk-over her shoulder.

With you, most constant of constant readers, we want to make a little tour through this number. Look first to the right, and upward. An inch below the two Greek ladies you will find this inscription, "Whole No. 982. For almost the thousandth time, then, we are reading together the fashion news and the general news, the articles of special interest, the society calendars, and the book reviews

But as we explore this Vogue, we shall find two or three special pages. They will interest you because they are the landmarks in Vogue's progress from a magazine to amuse to a magazine to use.

# "ICH DIEN"

For example, page 114. It tells about the Shopping Service. Week after week we smile when those who have hesitatingly sent us their first commission return post-haste with a dozen new orders. Month after month more women convince themselves in this way that the splendid shops of New York are no farther away than the nearest letter-box.

Page 2 shows how we introduce Vogue to new and seminew readers-more as a friend than as a magazine. In our recent prize contest we received dozens of letters that described Vogue as a living, breathing identity — a human being. To you, our oldest friend, this will not be surprising. But can you think of any other magazine that comes every day into such intimate contact with its circle?

You, of course, have long known the comfort of using a Vogue Pattern, and you have carefully tested the excellent effect of the garments made from these designs. Page 116 is printed here only in the hope that our later friends will preserve it for reference in all times of dress perplexity.



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WHEN you open the next Vogue you will be greeted by the earliest word from the great French fashion openings. After seeing what the long summer weeks of secret activity have brought forth, it will be an easy matter for you to choose the first new things for your autumn wardrobe.

# LOOKING FORWARD

And you will soon need new things-no doubt of that. On August 11th last the summer colony at Bar Harbor woke up to a temperature of 54 degrees. There always comes a morning-usually in September, but sometimes earlier-when one's hot weather attire feels suddenly thin and inadequate.

Here is the real value of the next Vogue. It tells what will be in fashion three, five, a dozen weeks hence. Forewarn yourself with its advance information; then you will buy your new clothes with and not against the coming mode. You will have the pleasure of discovering, two or three months from now, that the gowns or hats you are buying to-day will hold their style even after the fashions have crystallized into their hard and fast forms of next winter.

# SOME NEW THINGS

Shoes for the new season are already showing several interesting variations. Some of the smartest dancing slippers will be laced with cross ribbons, just as the Greeks used to lace their sandals. Blouses will be trimmed with chiffon and fur; and speaking of fur reminds us that the next Vogue will illustrate not only a number of handsome coats, but also some of the small, new, fur neck-pieces.

The next Vogue but one-the Autumn Pattern Number-will, of course, contain our formal showing of Vogue's Autumn and Winter patterns. For the benefit of very forehanded peo-ple, however, we shall give in the next number an advance exhibition of seven pages of the new Vogue patterns.



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# MRS. STUYVESANT FISH

Mrs. Fish has assumed a large share of the summer's entertaining at Newport, giving not only her Mother Gaose Ball, but likewise a very successful "the dansant" and several dinner-dances



### MILLINERY HARVEST THE AUTUMN

was during the reign of King Charles VII that the hat first made its ap-pearance in France. At modest little affair, closely resembling the rolling - brimmed sailor which is so universally worn by children to-day. Designed by some eminently practical per-son, its sole object was to protect the head, and,

at first, it was worn
only on rainy days.
Oddly enough, the
first really frivolous
hats were worn by men.
King Charles set the ball Aing Charles set the ball arolling by having his hat made of crimson velvet braided in gold. Later it became the fashion to tuck a small plume in the hat band, then arother and the control of the contr plume in the hat band, then another, and another, until, at the beginning of the seventeenth century, all the dandies at the court of Louis XIII were wearing the picturesque, much be-plumed Castor à la cordelière with ts wide, supple brim.

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During all these years the hat had been sadly neglected by the fair sex, and it was not until the days of Marie Antoinette, when pan-niers could be made no neers could be made no larger, and head-dresses could be made no higher, that Parisiennes, ever in search of novelties, suddenly bethought themselves of the hat and leading their their results. and lo!—atop their powdered heads it was

perched where it served as a "plateau" for a bewildering array of bows. frills, torsades, aigrettes, and plumes such as was never seen before—nor since. Doorways had to be enlarged to permit fair ladies to enhad to be enlarged to permit fair ladies to enter without ducking their heads, and when they rode in their carriages they were obliged to get down on their knees, or else sit with their heads out of the window to avoid disarranging the imposing structures. Compared with such elaborate creations as the chapeaux à la Marlborough, the hats of to-day are very tame little affairs. Yet, which of us has not clung desperately to the edge of the seat of a limousine to keep from breaking an 18-inch aignette? sine to keep from breaking an 18-inch aigrette?

# OH, THOSE PROPHETIC SOULS!

Modistes predict that the hats of the coming season will be very simply trimmed and rather flat, and that a great deal of ribbon will be used. They then proceed to open *tiroir* after

Though, As Is the Way of All Prophets, Milliners Equivocate in Words, Their Works Speak in No Uncertain Accents-Hats Are to Be Small or Medium, Velvet Is Supreme, Black the Reigning Color, Feathers the Dominant Trimming



A designer who can fill his shop with hundreds of creations, each as original and beautiful as these two, one of figured velvet bearing a great fluff of green tulle, the other superbly winged in Malines lace, deserves to be mentioned among the six milliners of Paris

tiroir, and display wonderful creations with very high, flaring brims and exceptionally long aigrettes. They tell us that black velvet only is smart, and then, in the same breath, show us charming hats that are not black at all!

However, several hours spent with the most famous readists, in the world regregated the fact

famous modistes in the world revealed the fact that ninety-nine out of each hundred hats shown for early fall wear are black. Indeed, black velvet is so popular now that from precedent, it will soon lose favor. that, arguing

# HATS FAMOUS IN A DAY

Styles in hats change over night. On a cer-Styles in hats change over night. On a certain day a new hat appears; on the second day one discovers the modiste and walks off with the treasure, only to awake on the third day and find that it is no longer chic; that it has been replaced by another which fills the heart with envy, verdant and poignant.

For the moment, rot the moment, modistes are showing nothing very startling in the way of shapes, although there is a great variety. In general, hats are small or medium sized; yet, here and there one sees a and there, one sees a few really large hats. The highest crowns

are seen chez Reboux. Here most of the hats are small, and are trim-med very high; often the trimming is posed on the top of the crown. This pose is most effective when ostrich fective when ostrich feathers are used; and, by the way, ostrich feathers are back in favor once more—not the slender, straight, uncurled couteau of last winter, but a full ostrich plume, curved and slightly curled. Instead of flowers, Carlier and Maria Guy are lier and Maria Guy are

lier and Maria Guy are using small tufts of slightly curled ostrich in the most vivid Empire shades.

The Carlier hat sketched on this page is of black velours frappé, trimmed with a huge bow of green tulle of the shade known as gauffré. It is a style borrowed from the days of Louis XVI. Very chic is the black velvet turban shown in the turban shown in the same sketch. The wings are of wired Malines lace, and there is a tiny pink rosebud over the left ear.

A smart, large hat from Marcelle Demay, called "La Frivole"— for very frequently hats,

called "La Frivole"—
for very frequently hats,
like gowns, have names—is sketched at the upper left of page 20. It is of a dark marron
shade of velvet, its somberness relieved by clusters of tiny, enamel flowers in delicate, pastel
shades. Velvet in the same shade of marron—
known as marron d'Inde—is used for the
crownless, Turkish turban known as "Thomass." Of black velvet, untrimmed save for a bow
of black faille, is the Demay "tam" known as
"Raphael," shown in the same sketch on page 20.

In an effort to find something to replace
paradise, which has grown very rare of late,
Marcelle Demay is offering a new plumage
which she calls oiseau du manteau de velours
(bird of the velvet mantle). Although it is
finer and more supple, it is not unlike the shortlived Goura of last spring. In a dark shade
of marron it trims "Jacquot," the toque of
marron velvet shown in the last sketch on
page 20.



A large, soft-brimmed hat, wired to the drooping curves of a leghorn, is relieved from somberness by enameled flowers. From Marcelle Demay

# MILLINER OF THE SMALL HAT

The Lewis walking hat of navy blue velvet, shown at the lower left of this page, is banded with soft, rich, grosgrain ribbon in the same shade, and is trimmed with white wings. Lewis is showing no really large hats. Many of his small hats are aglitter with jet.

Lewis is making much of the long couteau, whether of aigrettes, small feathers, or tulle. A couteau in tiny feathers of a rich yellow shade is very effective on the hat of marron velvet, shown in the next sketch. The soft crown is banded at the base with marron velvet placed below a ruche of yellow corded ribbon.



A strip of velvet, "mar-ron d'Inde" in color, is wound once about the head, leaving bare the crown. From Marcelle Demay

The helpless tam-o'-shanter is being pulled and poked into a hundred modish shapes to suit every type of face. Mar-celle Demay pulls hers high on the left A MODISTE LOYAL TO FLOWERS Alphonsine alone remains loyal to flowers,

Alphonsine alone remains loyal to flowers, and uses them in a most effective way. Those shown in the second sketch on page 21 are the daintiest affairs imaginable for they look like fresh moss rosebuds. Close examination, however, shows that the inside petals are made of silk, each one edged with the narrowest galloon, and that the outside petals are of mossy green, figured velvet. The hat is of very supple, Nattier-blue felt, nicely fitted over a rolling brim of black velvet, and posed to show the line of the coiffure at the left.

Alphonsine's hats are, for the most part, of



A hat not striking in shape or color, but which attains a quite amazing smartness when rightly posed. Lewis is the designer

From the peak of a brim turned sharply at the left rises a long feather "knife"— a motif which Lewis is playing strongly



Marcelle Demay substitutes a new plumage, "bird of the velvet mantle," for the expensive paradise feather



Alphonsine's largest hat; tailless ermine spreads over the crown and brim, and the black-tipped tails are used to edge the Mercury wings



Little wonder that, when all others have de-serted them, Alphonsine remains loyal to flowers, for none use them with such unfailing charm

medium size. Her largest hat is shown at the left of the one just described. The crown is of ermine, with the skins running from the summit of the crown and spreading out on the black velvet brim. The Mercury wings are of black velvet, fringed with ermine tails.

Of all the modistes in the rue de la Paix, none is more widely known than Carlier. Madame Carlier never makes really large hats. One of her most charming small hats, which is almost an exact copy of an Empire bonnet of 1810, is shown in the lower left corner of this page. Of ivory white satin brocade, it has a narrow, curved brim of wired lace, partially veiled with black tulle footing. The streamer of black velvet which crosses the crown is held on the right side by a tuft of vivid cerise ostrich feathers. The hat of black velvet and satin with the flowing white ostrich plume, shown in the opposite corner, is suggestive of the hats worn during the reign of Henry II.



hold it to its extravagant flare is a ruche of feathers which finishes in an absurdly long "couteau." Virot model

Madame Carlier has very definite intentions for this winter. "At first," she says, "I will make only little velvet toques swathed closely with tulle and trimmed with little tufts of feathers posed like aigrettes at the top of a long, velvet stem. I will also use as trimming bandeaux made of butterflies and cabochons made of the same birds to put at the bottom of feathers or aigrettes. Besides, I shall use much tulle and ribbon on semi-dress hats. I will continue to make hats in the sailor style with crowns of supple velours, satin, and taffeta, I will also make some picture hats, extremely short on one side and exaggeratedly high on the other. This high brim will be



Nothing could be more dignified than the sweep of black velvet on one side and the fall of ostrich on the other. From the Maison Carlier



Empire is this Carlier bonnet of white brocade and lace, splashed with a tuft of bright cerise ostrich and floating a black velvet streamer



On a Virot model a big crown is scantily wreathed in paradise, and so tall is the aigrette of paradise it seems to tilt the floppy brim

covered with feathers which will fall over the shoulder. In all trimmings I will use much jet."

Virot is using black velvet, black velours frappé, black panne satin, and a new shade of dark green, known as "mélèze." Her most successful large hat is made of black velours frappé, with a tall aigrette of paradise and a scanty wreath of paradise around the crown. This is sketched at the top of the page.

Black velvet is also used for the flaring brimmed hat shown in the middle of page 21. Its only trimming is a stiff little ruche of tiny white feathers and a long conteau of the same.

Virot also uses skunk and ermine. Very becoming to a girlish face is her "Manon," sketched at the bottom of this page. It is of black velvet trimmed with ermine. Black panne satin and black ostrich feathers are used for the smart turban shown in the same sketch.

With the exception of Reboux, who still shows a fondness for blocked crowns, most of the modistes are making hats with soft crowns. They all agree, however, that dark colors only are chie. There is a total absence of colored embroideries and brocaded ribbons. Some hats are made entirely of jet, or colored beads.

E. G.

# WORD FROM THE OPENINGS

The principal influences in the new modes are the styles of the period of Louis XIII, the Empire, 1830, and the Second Empire. The silhouette will demand not only flat hips but silhouette will demand not only flat hips but a flat bust. To accent this many waists will be cut with a low, square corsage, and a high, uncurved waist-line. There is a new tendency in skirts, too. Full at the waist, they are often draped up in back instead of in front. The flaring tunic grows daily in popularity. As to coats, they are hip length and semi-fitted, a style which naturally leads in the bolero. In strong contrast to this style is that of the full-length Russian blouse.

The cloths that promise to have most favor are velours de laine, ratine, duvetyn, and velvet; and everywhere everything is trimmed with fur.







A tiny, dark blue velvet shape haloed with a wired transparency of lace, high at one side and dropped to soften the line of the brim at the right. Model by Marguerite and Léonic

Given a wearer of superb carriage, and no hat of the season could be smarter than this Lewis model of velvet, with its splendid sweep of line. The sharply rolled brim is softened by a moire band

A bonnet of much piquancy is this confection by Marie Louise. Dark brown taffeta is shirred over the little scoop shape which is turned sharply up at the back and trimmed with a great, looped bow of the taffeta

This is Georgette's low-crowned, stiff-brimmed model of black velvet, which she trims with a twist of tulle about the crown and a butterfly of black velvet with gauzy edgings of tulle Léontine offers another new version of the popular tam-o'-shanter. On a flat brim she shirrs a full crown of velvet, and at exactly the right point she shoots out a slender plume of ostrich

IMPORTATIONS FROM FRANÇOIS

NOT THE SIZE NOR EVEN THE SHAPE STAMPS A HAT AS INDUBITABLY OF THE NEW SEASON, BUT ITS RICHLY DARK COLOR AND ITS SCANT TRIMMING, POSED AT JUST THE PROPER ANGLE



A very small hat which, at a first glance, looks like a very large hat, is this black velvet Reboux model. Using the draped crown as a support, two extravagantly long, broad ends of velvet spread wing-like across the back far beyond shoulder width. Simple as it is, this is an extremely effective hat

One of Lewis's famous three-piece sets of hat, cape, and must. Above the black velvet hat brim fluss a crown of bailless ermine, and erect in front stands a twist of the velvet. The quaint shoulder cape is of the velvet collared with ermine, and the tiny must is of the fur edged with the velvet

The usual order of trimming is here reversed with somewhat startling effect. A dark blue feather trails across the flat top of a turban of braided, blue velvet ribbon and expends the remainder of its unusual, heavy headed length at the front. Chic, indeed, is the military chin-strap of blue velvet

HATS FROM TAPPÉ, INC.

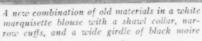
ONE COULD SEARCH MANY MILLINERS' WINDOWS AND
MANY LONG BOULEVARDS AND YET FIND NOTHING BUT
VELVET HATS, AND MOST OF THEM BLACK VELVET

# The FILMIER the FABRIC the HEAVIER the TRIMMING





The plaited peplum is adopted by a blouse which with the filmiest of fabrics—chiffon and frilled net—contrasts a trimming of fur





About a black velvet turban spreads a halo of fine black lace, its line broken by a fantasy feather trimming

THE new blouses are made of chif-fons and silks and the office of net seems to have been reduced fons and silks and the olite of net seems to have been reduced to the fashioning of plaited frills for their adornment. In the waist shown at the upper left of the page, white chiffon is vested with brocaded white velvet which is almost veiled by a wide net frill. Here the fickleness of fashion imposes a trimming of brown fur on the gossamer materials of the blouse. There is a soft, plaited girdle of white silk moire, and, as in many of the new waists, a plaited peplum falls below it. The sleeves are on the bishop order and are bordered in fur.

A practical use which the season makes of moire is illustrated in the waist shown at the upper right. Here it forms the shallow, roll collar, the cuffs, and the broad bowed belt, on a waist of white marquisette which veils a net and lace underwaist.



Here a touch of novelty in a broad neck-band of velvet which catches up the chiffon blouze frill

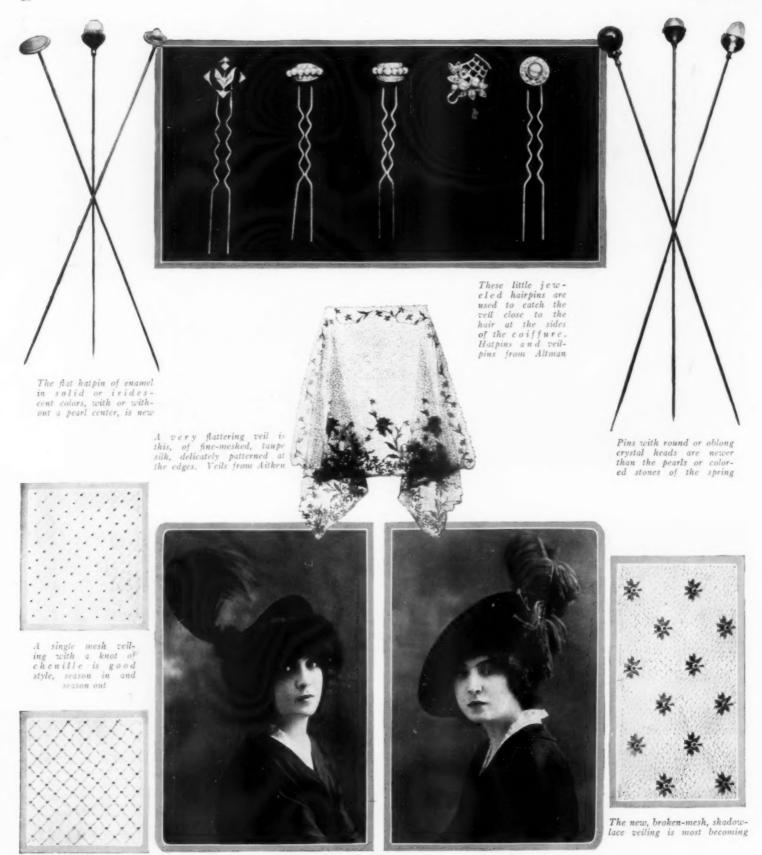
BLOUSES FROM ALICE MAYNARD



Fronds of aigrettes spread like an open fan about the front of a small, black velvet hat banded with white moire

Quite a becoming conceit is suggested in the band of black velvet which is shown in the photograph at the bottom of the page. The waist is simple in style, although it shows quite a new treatment of the gathered ruffle which outlines the neck. This is caught at the sides under the velvet band so that it stands somewhat in the manner of a Medici collar. The sleeves are of the loose, bishop style, trimmed at the wrist with a black velvet band which runs through buttonholed slits and draws the fulness in so that it falls in a frill over the hand.

Waistcoats are developed charmingly on many of the diaphanous blouses of the season. The pointed front of one particularly attractive model (not illustrated) extends to considerably below the waist-line. Many flowered silk models come in colors to match the suits with which they are to be worn; they are of various smart cuts and lengths.



HATPINS STILL RETAIN A MODEST SIZE, VEIL-PINS ARE PRETTILY JEWELED, AND VEILS THEM-SELVES ARE OF THE LIGHTEST SILKEN MESHES

A costly mingling of fur, paradise plumage, and velvet, manipulated by Lewis's clever fingers, gives this charming result

A single mesh of flesh color, and white knotted with black

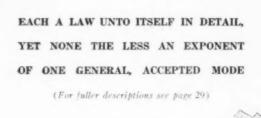
The line that sweeps abruptly up at one side and descends as sharply at the other is much in favor with French milliners



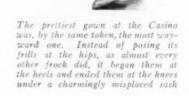
Pretty Miss Vera Maxwell, of the Empire Revue, London, frames her charming head in this novel manner. Bands of Venise lace edged with a thread of diamonds are used here

A flexible lattice of jewels, a great butterfly of gauze supporting a snowy aigrette, and, looped over and under the lattice, a long rope of pearls—a far from simple coiffure, but effective as worn by Gina Palerme of the London Adelphi

THE PRETTY, YOUNG ACTRESSES OF LONDON AND PARIS SEEM TO VIE WITH ONE ANOTHER IN THEIR EFFORTS TO PRODUCE THE MOST ORIGINAL HEADDRESS OF THE SEASON







A frock of white taffeta collars, cuffs, and tunics itself in a most independent way, accepting alien ornamentation only in a twelve-inch hem of embroidered chiffon and tiny bandings of entredeux

All sense of congruity was ignored when this toilette was planned. Though a summer costume, it presents a coat long as that of any midwinter suit and liberally banded with fur; in contradiction to this wintriness is the extremely low, lace underblouse

# DEAUVILLE CAN DO NO WRONG

Whether This Paris-by-the-Sea Too Literally Obeys or Even Wantonly Violates the Commands of Fashion, Its Reputation As the Smartest of Watering-Places Remains Unimpeachable



Over a scant skirt of black charmeuse drop three delicate tulle tunics, stiffened each with a taffeta binding at the edge

DEAUVILLE is at last having real summer weather—just the kind that makes one enjoy a game of tennis, a swim, and then a fluffy gown. The summer colony is even larger than usual. Because of its proximity to Paris—Deauville is only three hours' distance by rail or by motor—it is an ideal summer resort and so each weakit is an ideal summer resort, and so each week-end brings hundreds of pleasure seekers.

end brings hundreds of pleasure seekers.

Here, in mid-August, I see the same faces that I saw in Paris in May, in St. Moritz at Christmas time, and in Monte Carlo in February. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Widener arrived at the Normandy Hotel some time ago, and not long since Mr. Anthony Drexel anchored off Deauville in his yacht, La Sayonara.

Don Luis d'Orléans Bouybon is here are the

chored off Deauville in his yacht, La Sayonara. Don Luis d'Orléans Bourbon is here as the guest of Mrs. Potter Palmer.

While shopping in the rue Gontaut Biron a few days ago I saw Mrs. Palmer wearing a half-length, loosely belted coat of white velours de laine, beneath which hung a plaited skirt of embroidered, white voile. She wore a large, black velvet hat bordered in white chiffon.

In the early morning, a few days ago, I saw Madame Jean Stern playing tennis. She wore a white serge skirt and a Nattier-blue sweater. Mr. Craig Biddle is a daily devotee of the tennis court here.

### THE REIGN OF THE WHITE GOWN

Because of the high temperature the dress of the hour is white. White chiffon, white taf-feta, white tulle, or white voile—with now and then a white tailor-made of serge or cloth. With these white dresses are usually worn one of the new coats. These are so big and loose that they slip back from the shoulders and the that they stip back from the shoulders and the lapped fronts are tucked under the left arm. They are in a flaring, kimono style, fall to the knees at the back, and are slightly shorter in front. They come in turquoise, gold, cerise, emerald, and violet velours de laine; invariably they are bordered with five rows of stitching, no more poles.

no more, no less.

Conspicuous in the midst of a hundred pretty white frocks which fluttered in and out of the Casino at lunch time I noted the smart frock of violet faille sketched at the left on the opposite violet faille sketched at the left on the opposite page. The long blouse-coat was decidedly new, and the blouse, instead of having the customary surplice closing, was closely fastened at the throat, then opened over the chest in an inverted V. Something else new in the way of a semi-coat is the sweater of finest Jersey, collared sailorwise, loosely belted, and worn open to the waist-line. These sweaters are long enough to cover the hips.

Positively no straw hats are worn at Deauville. The smartest ones are of velours delaine, camel's-hair, taffeta, moire, and satin, often in brilliant mandarin blue, king's blue, and raspberry, to match the coloring of the new sweaters. There are also to be seen many hats of black oilcloth, white moire, faille, and black velvet.

# THE FRILLED SILHOUETTE

The most noticeable thing about the thin, summer frocks is the abundance of frills and flounces, so it is safe to acknowledge publicly that skirts are to be fuller. In fact, the silhouette has been gradually metamorphosed by the ever-increasing number of flounces, stiffthe ever-increasing number of flounces, stiffened and otherwise. The popular threeflounced skirts are particularly smart, and I
think their real origin is traceable to the Paquin
model of black tulle which appeared in an early
autumn number of Vogue, last year. The
skirts of all the thin frocks, whether they be
flounced or no, are very full. Bishop sleeves of
chiffon are very smart, and they appear quite
often on the diaphanous evening gowns.

The prettiest gown I have seen at the Casino



Tucked where it is not plaited is the bodice, and plaited where it is not tucked is the triple tunic

for some time is sketched on the right of page 28. It shows a new arrangement of frills. They are placed at the bottom of the skirt, instead of at the hips. The overskirt, of white chiffon, veils a band of canary-colored taffeta.

A frock which tends toward more than usual the right of the property of

fulness at the hips is sketched at the right on this page. It is of black liberty satin with a plaited tunic of black tulle. A bit of ermine and a frill of tulle border the corsage, which opens over a plastron of chiffon and lace. E. G.



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An event which, in picturesqueness as well as in social importance, marked a fitting climax of the Newport season, was the Mother Goose Ball. Over the several hundred guests assembled in the magnificent ball-room at the "Crossways" Mrs. Stuywesant Fish waved a magic wand which turned time back to the days when Snow White and Little Boy Blue were her guests' contemporaries

# MRS. STUYVESANT FISH'S NEWPORT BALL

Out from the Pages of a "Mother Goose" Book, Set Booth-Like at One End of Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish's Ball-Room, One after Another Stepped the Quaint Characters of the Childish Rhymes



The hostess of the Mother Goose Ball, Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, took the rôle of Queen of the Fairies. From the electric bulb on her wand to her silver slippers, laced with diamonds, she was a glittering mass of jewels and spangles

"THE Mother Goose Ball," quite the most brilliant entertainment of the Newport season, was given by Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, on the evening of August first. On this occasion not only her ball-room, but the exterior of the house, and even the grounds around it, were transformed into a place where dreams come true. Spotlights sprinkled far and wide about the grounds shed upon the guests floods of light, peopled with big black cats that blinked their electric eyes as they guarded the piazza.

# AN UNFAMILIAR "CROSSWAYS"

From the piazza the guests entered the familiar hall of the "Crossways," familiar no longer, but done into a fairy scene right out of the pretiest picture-book. Flanking the sides of the hall were sheaves of wheat interspersed with miniature forests of cat tails and great, golden sunflowers; hanging by their claws among the wheat and peering out from every corner, were small, black cats, their eyes shining in the elec-

tric light as wickedly as ever they do in the gloom of a haunted castle. Among the stalks of the sunflowers gleamed the rough skins of iridescent, green frogs, and their hoarse croakings added a weird realism to the scene. On the railing of the balcony which overlooks

On the railing of the balcony which overlooks the entrance hall, perched great, white geese, with swirling festoons of smoke plant caught in their bills. Flying athwart this background on her broomstick was the witch of ancient tradition, wrinkled, and old, and most fascinatingly ugly.

# THE ENCHANTED BALL ROOM

From the hall the several hundred guests wandered into the ball-room, which was undecorated save for a huge Mother Goose Book which stood at the end of the room. When all were assembled in the ball-room the lights were turned out and a spotlight was thrown upon the Story Book. Mother Goose stood by to superintend the turning of the pages by her goose: the goose turned a page, out walked Old King Cole with



Mr. Stuyvesant Fish, the host of the magnificent ball given at his summer home, the "Crossways," at Newport



Photographs from Aimé Dupont Disregarding race, creed, and color, Mrs. Albert Gray, as an Oriental, Mr. G. Lawerence Perkins as a Scotchman, and Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, Jr., as a gypsy, foregathered for their photograph



Miss Edith Deacon, with Mrs. Arthur Scott Burden, went as The Brothers, in blue blouses, red breeches, white stockings, and black shoes

his pipe and his bowl, and after him came his his pipe and his bowl, and after him came his fiddlers three. Old King Cole and his attendants grouped themselves about the book, and as each character emerged the group increased in numbers until it formed a semi-circular frame for the scenes which followed.

# FROM A WITCH'S CALDRON

FROM A WITCH'S CALDRON

First, there appeared a big caldron and the lights were turned on full to disclose the Witch Dance. When the dance was finished the Witch brewed a magic potion in the caldron, and went to see what her brewing had brought forth. As the first result of her brewing three little imps popped out of the caldron, and her second brewing brought forth a tiny fairy who did a pretty little dance and then, with the caldron, disappeared into the Mother Goose Book. When the caldron disappeared, Snow White, who in fairy-book lore was rescued by the dwarfs, stepped out of the book; then came Mary, Mary Quite Contrary who, for lo! these many generations, has failed to give information in regard to how her flowers grew. Blue Beard followed with the far-famed Cinderella, and Little Boy Blue with his horn accompanied Little Red Riding Hood and the Wolf. Then came little Bo-Peep in the midst of her flock of sheep, followed by Jack who tumbled out on his head with Jill close after him. Mary appeared with her lamb, and Little Miss Muffet with her spider. Then came Tom, Tom with his pipes and his little pig under his arm, while Jack Horner with his pie brought up the rear.

### PRESENTING THE PIE

Once the whole familiar throng were out of the Mother Goose Book they came forward with the famous pie which was once set before a king, and presented it to Mr. and Mrs. Fish. The Mother Goose Ball was arranged by Mrs. R. W. Hawkesworth and "The Witch" was danced by Señora Saracco. Miss Betty Ohls took the part of Mother Goose.

Mrs. Fish, who by a wave of her magic wand had created the whole fairy scene, was gowned as the princess of it should be. She wore white satin draped in a cloud of silver net, and the satin itself was encrusted with rhinestones. A coronet of diamonds glittered in her hair, and coronet of diamonds glittered in her hair, and in the silver star which topped her magic wand was set a tiny, electric bulb



Mrs. Henry S. Redmond, of New York, was a glittering Snow Queen in white satin, span-gles, and diamonds; she carried a Snow Man



Miss Janet Fish, the daughter of Mr. Hamilton Fish, was costumed as the Goose Girl



A strangely motley group of fairy-story characters is this of Colonel Henry Cecil Lowther, Mrs. James B. Eustis, of New York, Mrs. William Earl Dodge, of New York, and Mr. Clarence W. Dolan, of Philadelphia



Photographs from Aimé Dupont From a land out of Mother Goose's ken came the costume of Mr. Stuy-vesant Fish, Jr.



Mrs. John Abney was La Princesse Rosetta, from a French fairy tale, and her husband was Le Roi de Paon
Two nursery.

Two nurseryland characters at the ball were Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, an attractive Mother Goose, and Mr. Elisha Dyer, a fun-creating Simple Simon

Photographs from Aimé Dupont Miss Dorothy Kane and Miss Maude Wetmore; the latter was one of the many who masqueraded as French maids



Mr. Louis S. Bruguière and Mrs. Arthur James who, as Princess Titania, was clad in old-rose brocade and carried a jeweled staff



Mr. Charles Lanier, Jr., Mrs. Livingston Beeckman (as one of the Seven Wives), and Miss Edith Deacon; below them sit three of the younger members of the Prince family of Boston



Mrs. James B. Haggin went in a Snow White costume of white chiffon, trimmed with silver and rhinestones; beside her stands Mr. Cross



Eastern potentates both were Mrs. Percy D. Haughton, of Boston, and Mr. Murray Forbes, of Philadelphia



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Between Mr. Robert T. McKee and Mr. Harold Perry Erskine stands Mrs. William G.
Roelker, one of the many pretty Bo-Peeps



Mr. Fred Prince, Jr., of Boston, and Miss Constance W. Perkins, of New York, costumed as forest man and maid

# A NEW COIFFURE for the NEW SEASON





Here a fringe soft-ens the face, and the hair is drawn back into a low pompadour. The ears are still covered, but the hair is not drawn so low upon the cheeks as formerly

The hair is waved and drawn over a net cap to give length of line to the coif-fure from the crown of the head to the nape of the neck



There is no visible knot, for the hair is merely waved upward across the back and rolled to ward the left with the ends tucked under and held by a comb

At the right is the coiffure before the hat is donned. It differs from the evening coiffure only in a lower, more decided roll



HE general tendency of the spring to-HE general tendency of the spring to-ward a higher coiffure has grown more marked as the season has pro-gressed, and a decidedly high coiffure will be a pronounced mode of the winter. There are naturally some variations in any rules of hairdressing, but, in general, the coif-fure of the coming season will give a long, rather than a broad, line to the head, and is as rather than a broad, line to the head, and is as suitable with a hat as with an evening dress. In the new evening coiffure, shown in the three photographs at the upper left, and arranged here by Pierre of New York, the height at the top of the head is gained by a little cap of wired net over which the hair is drawn. The hair should be waved all around and separated at the sides with the front hair hanging over the face. A strand at the top of the head should be wound into a knot to hold the net cap securely in place. Then the front hair should be brushed back and drawn into a flat, low pompadour over the cap.

The back hair is then formed into a soft roll, with the ends tucked under, so that there is no

with the ends tucked under, so that there is no

visible knot. A fancy comb may be placed at the side back, as shown in the second photograph at the top of the page, not only as a finish, but to accentuate the length and height of line. The narrow fringe at the front is not necessary if there is any short hair about the face, or if the forehead is low. At the sides the hair covers the ears, but it is not brought out quite so far on the cheeks as formerly.

Smartness in the pose of a hat depends largely upon the style of hairdressing, and since the newest feature of millinery is the sharply turnedup brim at the side or direct back, the coiffure with a soft, waved roll and no visible knot is very effective. The only difference which need be made between the coiffure for the hat and for the evening is that in the former a more decided roll should be made from the crown of the head to the nape of the neck. The photograph at the upper right of the page shows the hat worn so that the best result is gained from the rolled coiffure. The one below it shows the same coiffure without the hat, and the third one shows the back view with the hat on.



At the top and bottom of the page are shown views of the rolled coiffure under the hat of the season, brim-tilted at the side and back

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## TO THE READERS OF VOGUE:

On the page opposite you see for the first time, perhaps, the front cover of an entirely new magazine. As you may have heard, the publishers of Vogue have bought "Dress", always one of the best of the monthly fashion publications, and "Vanity Fair", a magazine of the theatre. These we purpose to combine in one great magazine. The best features of the two original publications will be retained and strengthened; in addition we shall develop many new features along many new lines, handling them in the manner that has made papers like the "Sketch" and "Tatler" so popular in England.

In London alone there are, I am told, seventeen magazines of the kind we hope to make "Dress & Vanity Fair". In the whole United States, none. That there is not only room for a publication of this quality, but an actual demand, we are firmly convinced. Already we have plans that will make "Dress & Vanity Fair" as distinct an authority on outdoor sports, contemporary art and literature, opera and the stage as Vogue is in its own chosen field of fashions.

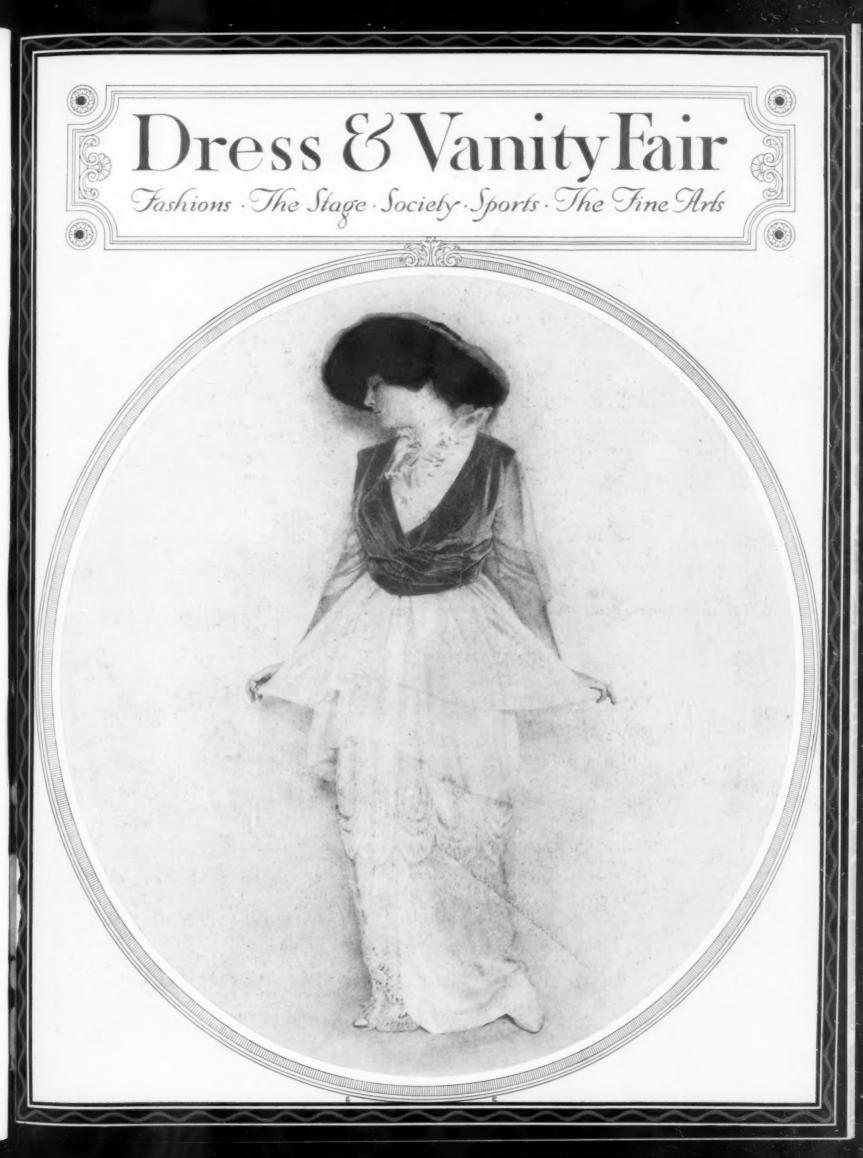
Here, then, is the first number. I will not try to describe it to you -- you may find a copy for yourself on any newsstand. Only let me say that "Dress & Vanity Fair" will not be a second Vogue; the only respect in which it will resemble Vogue is that it will be published for the same class of intelligence, refinement, and means that makes Vogue the most distinctive of all magazines. Otherwise, it will be quite different. A few of Vogue's readers will want both magazines, some will prefer "Dress & Vanity Fair", some Vogue, according to whether their chief interest is in fashions of in the stage or opera or any one of the many other activities of society.

In the beginning though -- for the first few numbers -- I would appreciate greatly the help of our Vogue friends. (Not as subscribers, for "Dress" has brought with it a clientele just as loyal, if not so large as Vogue's own.) What we want rather is your criticism -- and when I say "criticism", I don't mean "testimonial" -- if you like our first number, we shall, of course, be glad to know it, but we would rather have frank criticisms of any weak spots and your suggestions as to what you would particularly like to see in the new magazine.

August 25,1913.

Very truly yours,

Publisher





The Earl of Rocksavage, heir to the Marquis of Cholmondeley, who married Miss Sybil Sassoon on August 6th. The wedding was private owing to the difference in religious belief

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INTERESTING ENGLISH
ALLIANCES THAT GAVE
A FLARE TO THE WANING LONDON SEASON



Miss Helen Goudy, daughter of Mrs. William Judd Goudy, of Chicago and London, whose engagement to Mr. Gerard Leigh, of the First Life Guards, has been announced

Photograph by Kita Martin, London

Lady Rocksavage (née Sassoon) is the daughter of the late Sir Edward Sassoon and a sister of Sir Philip Sassoon, Member of Parliament for Hythe Division of Kent



The betrothal of Her Royal Highness, Princess Alexandra, has been announced. Princess Alexandra is the Duchess of Fife, the fourth woman in all history to succeed to a dukedom



The eldest son of the Duke of Connaught, Prince Arthur of Connaught, is the cousin once removed of his prospective bride, Princess Alexandra

### The NEW LANGUAGE of CARDS

HE present - day world is impaworld is impa-tient of formality. In Mrs. Wharton's phrase, this is an era of swift adjustment and limitless concession. Cere-

limitless concession. Ceremony belongs to the old world of leisure, and even those social leaders who maintain costly establishments live far more simply and unostentatiously than those who merely imitate them. This is why the code of cards has become reduced to a set of rules as simple as is consistent with good manners. Yet, "by their cards shall ye know them," was the recent comment of one who glanced over the pile deposited at a house

during an afternoon tea.

The omission of unnecessary cards now begins at the cradle, where all reforms should begin. At one time it was considered correct to send to each member of a visiting list an en-graved announcement of a birth, consisting of a large card bearing the names of the parents, and a small one, bearing the name of the new arrival and the date of its birth; the two were To-day this is not done. Society frowns upon it, as it does later in life upon invitations to wedding anniversaries.

## THE DÉBUT OF THE CALLING-CARD

The first epoch of life in which the visitingcard plays its part is the year of a girl's début, She has two sets of cards; those bearing her name alone and those bearing her name under that of her mother. The former she leaves in-formally, the latter, formally. This method is not only approved by society, but it cuts down the quantity of cards which are carried, and

ft on trays. When the maid becomes a matron she When the maid becomes a matron she acquires two new sets of cards: one with "Mr. and Mrs." engraved upon it, and one with "Mrs." alone. In addition to these she usually has a larger card with the necessary polite phrases of invitation engraved between spaces in which she writes the name of the guest, the nature of the entertainment, the date, and the hour. Such cards lift the burden and expense of various separate cards off the shoulders of the hostess and in a way represent the aim of the hostess, and, in a way, represent the aim of modern society—to accomplish the maximum result at the cost of the minimum effort. Efficiency—that powerful password of labor—has been introduced into the marts of frivolity!

For special needs a hostess has specially engraved invitations, but for every other occasion of social intercourse she makes use of one or the other of the cards just described.

the other of the cards just described.

The type of letter used in the engraving of cards is also much simplified. Early English lettering, which is complicated and hard to read, is replaced by plain black letters, in lighter ink. The cards themselves are larger, and the neat, small engraving is placed in the center with plenty of margin about it.

## THE FORMAL, ENGRAVED CARD

So much for the cards them-selves. How to use them, either singly or in combination, is a question which puzzles many wo men, for they know that customs change and, of course, they wish to change with them. Therefore, let us begin at the beginning again The girl is to make her bow to the world, we will say. She and her mother have their usual sets of cards. The first extra ones or-dered are invitations for the after-noon tea, which still remains the conventional and accepted way of presenting the newcomer into sopresenting the newcomer into so-ciety. If this tea is followed by a supper and theatre party, or a dance, the invitations to the latter are by telephone or written note, supplementary to the formal en-graved card of invitation to the tea. If a dinner-dance is the next

step, the new social law allows the

"Efficiency and Economy," the Magic Incantation of Present-Day Politics, Exercises Its Canny Influence Even over the Social Code of Cards

> [This is the ninth and last paper of Vogue's series of articles on good man-ners and good form according to the present-day standards of society.]

general invitation card to be used with the space filled for the dinner, and the word "dancing" written in the lower left corner. When there is not a dinner, but a nine o'clock dance with a buffet supper, the visiting-card of the parents is used with the word "dancing" added by pen. It is an astonishingly simple process and so-ciety of three years ago would have resented it, but to-day only those object to it who are not en courant with the manners of the socially important in great centers

One will probably not be astonished ten years hence to see the telephone used for all manner of invitations, and to learn that engraved paper has become as obsolete as Confederate currency, or the playing cards of the Revolution which were used to invite one to balls and routs.

## .. CUMBERSOME CUSTOM CHANGED

When the débutante and her mother make When the debutante and her mother make calls or attend teas only one card, which bears the name of both mother and daughter, should be left, or when the husband is invited, of both the parents and the daughter. Such a card may be left by any one of the three. It is no longer necessary to place a deck of cards, one for such examples the invitation on the other. for each name on the invitation, on the silver tray presented as one enters the door. This cumbersome custom prevailed for decades and no one seemed to have the courage to change it: even men who went to teas never dared put only one card on the salver. However, polite society is not easily affronted by trifles to-day, and it takes for granted that its members mean well.

If one is not able to attend a tea it is well to If one is not able to attend a tea it is well to enclose a card in an envelope which is addressed to those whose names are on the invitation, and mail it the day of the affair. It is gracious, but not necessary, to write across the top of the card, "with appreciation and regrets."

The only other social function which allows cards to be left or sent is a church wedding, and even this form of etiquette is now under discussion. It is now idea and was advanced.

discussion. It is a new idea, and was advanced by those high in social life. Upon receipt of an invitation to a church ceremony which one is unable to attend it seems that a card may

be mailed to the parents of be mailed to the parents of the bride with the words "cordial congratulations" written across the top. This is surely an accept-able courtesy and worthy of more followers. Some time ago society dispensed with the inner

envelope which formerly enclosed a wedding invita-

tion, and recently the announcement of a smart English wellding initiated a unique innovation in the same direction. No envelope was used at all; the announcement was engraved upon a piece of note paper, the back leaf of which ex-tended in a flap to be folded over and sealed so that the note paper itself resembled a square, open-ended envelope.

Only in the case of an invitation to a tea or

a church wedding may response be made by a visiting card, as so far the guest has to be more formal than the hostess.

Yet in restricting the formal use of cards to these two occasions, society does not limit their use merely to calls; need is found for them in a dozen different ways. They are mailed to those who have suffered bereavement with the written words "my deepest sympathy they are sent with flowers, and with wedding and Christmas gifts, but they do not serve for notes as they once did. The small correspondence card has taken their place.

## AFFINITY BETWEEN A "MEAL" AND A CARD

If the visiting-card is a problem, the way of answering invitations is even more of a puzzle to many; yet the rules and regulations which govern these are well defined, and it should be to many, yet are govern these are well defined, and it should be said just here that a visiting-card is never presented at any affair to which an acknowledgment has been made. One of the oft-repeated requests in letters of inquiry concerning etiquette is whether one uses a card on entering a house for a luncheon, a card party, a wedding breakfast, or a musicale. The complete

a house for a luncheon, a card party, a wedding breakfast, or a musicale. The complete answer is: one does not.

No answer is required to a church wedding invitation or one for an afternoon tea, therefore the use of visiting cards; but, as some one has put it, whenever a meal is involved you must let the cook know definitely whether or must let the cook know definitely whether or not you are coming. Under this class comes a home wedding, a wedding breakfast, a recep-tion, a dinner, ball, luncheon, card party, thea-tre party, or supper. After one has accepted any one of these affairs one's name is merely given to the maid or butler who opens the door.

## THE USES OF THE CALLING-CARD

That the custom of paying calls is becoming almost obsolete, no one can deny. Constant visiting is a symbol of leisure, and there is no leisure class among American women, rich or poor. Calls are still made for a few necessary reasons, but the mere exchange of

formal visits is relegated to the social attic with many other outworn trappings. A formal visi is made to a stranger or a new A formal visit comer, and such a visit should be returned inside of two weeks. A dinner and a ball require a courtesy call within a month, although between friends who are constantly entertaining this is not

Cards are left at a house of mourning as soon as a death is announced, but the caller does announced, but the caller does not ask to see any member of the family. Such a request would be considered in bad taste, ex-cept in the case of intimate

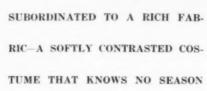
When calling on several persons in one house, it is not necessary to leave more than one card if one asks the maid for the various ladies by name. A mar-ried woman should leave a card which has "Mr. and Mrs." en-graved on it when she is calling in a formal manner upon another married woman.



TWO EARLY WINTER WRAPS, ONE
IN WHICH FUR RULES SUPREME
AND THE OTHER WHERE IT IS

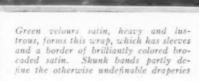


The mantle that Paris has worn this summer almost to the exclusion of sleeved wraps is now being reproduced in fur. Two-thirds cape and one-third stole is this ermine model, here crushed to the figure by arms that hold a flat muff





A smart combination this, of écru charmeuse bodice and dark brown satin skirt. A link between the two is the sash, where, upon an écru ground, is blended gold, and green, and brown embroidery



### S E E H M 5

HEN the leaves begin to fall begin to fall and the golden-rod blazes up to cover the barrenness of the hills in a brief afterglow, the events of the summer are concluded

one by one, and yet they leave their impress upon society as definite-ly as each fallen leaf records its richness in the soil. But woe to the social geologist who dares use the lull of this autumn afterglow to cast about among the records— here, the impression of a minor triumph, or the broken lines of a failure; there, an event which marks the beginning of an ambitious career, or the end of a former one. When the list is ended and the last happening has been classified the most philosophical of us are like to cry: "What profiteth it?"

### RECIPROCITY

Yet, it is not such an entirely fruitless Yet, it is not such an entirely fruitless thing, this business of society. Does not every dinner, dance, or house-party play into the hands of industrialism by creating a lavish market for its products, and encouraging almost every form of art by a most liberal patronage? Also, most surely have the fetes and pageants of the season added to the court total of human harmings in to the sum total of human happiness in a no less important way by contributing a generous quota of wholesome merry-mak-ing to the all too serious round of mundane affairs.

## SUMMERINGS OF SOCIETY

Newport has been very gay. In July there were a number of exceedingly pleasant dances, none of them quite so resplendent, however, as they have been described in the newspaper ac-counts. The more bacchanalian forms of danccounts. The more bacchanalian forms of dancing have now been a trifle modified, for having had our fill of the cup, we have tossed the dregs to Broadway. Mrs. Fish christened her new ballroom at the "Crossways" just after the Fourth, after which the season rolled on like the film in a moving picture, with nothing really startling, but a good deal that was artistic and dignified.

Among the original extention of the contract of

Among the original entertainments which have struck notes above the muffled monotone of existence was the Mother Goose Ball given by Mrs. Fish in her Newport ballroom. The earlier midsummer night's entertainment at Garrisons was quite charming in another way. There the pastoral scene of lawn and lily-pond was used to the happiest advantage, for a picturesque company of Morris dancers alighted from a hay cart on the lawn. More and more are we adopting from England the fancy for the rustic fêtes and pageants which keep us out of doors. Among the original entertainments which out of doors

Among various other ways in which the summerings of society have been a profit to out-siders as well as a pleasure to itself is in the establishment of a Mistress of the Revels. For some two years this custom has been practised more or less, and now it has come to be the usual thing for a hostess to place the planning of her entertainments, not in the hands of a vaudeville agent, as of old, but under the direction of some woman of artistic taste, of refinement, birth, and breeding.

## A SOUTRE OF DAMES

During the winter these clever people arrange the now so popular musical mornings and other matinée divertisements, but exclusively for the benefit of the fair sex. It has always been a bit benefit of the fair sex. It has always been a bit of a reproach to a man—unless he was a foreigner or, of course, a musician—to be seen at these gatherings. We can not conquer our scorn of the male who frequents afternoon teas. He may do whatever elsc he pleases—he may come up from the "Street" early and go to an afternoon theatrical performance, or he may stop at his club, but he must not be seen by daylight as a habitual squire of dames.

There are shades to this rule, no doubt. A

There are shades to this rule, no doubt. A man may very properly appear at luncheon with a woman, or he may even occasionally be one of a party to lunch at a private house. He must not, however, become a frequenter of such

Society Pauses in the Autumn Afterglow to Ponder the Pros and Cons Which Either Damn or Justify Its Own Existence-A Singular Sort of Snobbishness



parties or of subscription matinées and the like, lest he gain the reputation, no matter what his avoirdupois, of being a lean and hungry Cas-sius, quite in need of some one to hand him food and drink.

## A PECULIAR PURSE-PRIDE

Turning from the pleasant review of the dorurning from the pleasant review of the doings of society one is struck with the pathos of its imitators. No longer is there a "poor but respectable" class, for the doctrine of putting the best foot forward has bred instead a class which scorns to admit the existence of poverty. The teachers teach and the preachers preach that everyone must make a good appearance,

that nothing succeeds like success, and that opti-mism is the bread of life. A right worthy philos-ophy, too, if kept within the bounds of reasonableness, but, alas! there are instances where it quite

oversteps that boundary.

The spirit in which the establishment of The new opera company at the Century Theatre has been accepted by the public is an apt example of this particular brand of purse-pride. Here it is proposed to dispense with the vicious system of engaging a few expensive stars, and to establish a high standard of excellence for the ensemble. It is to be managed after the manner of certain famous opera houses of Europe with the object of furnishing, not a meet-ing-place for society, although society folk will doubtless go there in numbers, but a performance of the good operas at popular prices. But, lo! the middle-class public will have none of it. "We prefer the Metropoli-tan on a Caruso night," quoth they, and turned a deaf ear when they were approached on the subject of subscriptions. In fact, I myself fell a victim to this most singular variety of snobbishness. Thinking in fact, I myself fell a victim to this most singular variety of snobbishness. Thinking that subscription seats to some of the per-formances would be a thoughtful gift to some acquaintances less fortunate in the pos-

session of this world's goods than in the pos-session of musical temperament, I mailed them some subscription books. What was my sur-prise to learn that the tickets were entirely unappreciated, one girl—whom I know is striving to earn enough to pay for a musical education —going so far as to say that she had rather

—going so far as to say that she had rather hear Caruso on a phonograph than to go to hear the new Century Company.

I do not decry a sane demand for the best or nothing, and I feel that eventual Heaven, wherever it may be, will be the answer to that demand alone, but in the mundane meantime the philosophy of putting the best feot forward seems susceptible to ridiculous interpretations.

# VOGUE POINTS from PARIS

M ANY of the frocks for the autumn possess the surprisingly décolleté ap-pearance in both front and back that characterized the summer modes. In fact, so pronounced is the cut that the impression is given of evening gowns being worn in broad daylight. The only high guimpes per-missible are of tulle, but so sheer are they that the shoulders look as if they were merely dusted with provider. dusted with powder.

With these low-cut frocks for street or house wear, a narrow satin neck ribbon, either black wear, a narrow satin neck ribbon, either black or in some color to match the eyes or frock is very becoming. The ribbon should not be more than a quarter of an inch wide and should be tied very high at the back of the neck. Its be-comingness is very much enhanced by the ad-dition of a small brooch or pendant in the front. Sleeves also are most transparent, and are fre-

quently made of a thinner material than the frock without the faintest suggestion of a chiffon lining. Sleeves of black Chantilly lace, snug-fitting and so short that they do not touch the elbow, are smart adjuncts of white or colored frocks. Long bishop sleeves of black chif-fon are set in shallow shoulder caps and are fon are set in shallow shoulder caps and are very effective when worn with black gowns. When sleeves of a thinner material are used the shaped armhole is always concealed by a shallow cap of lace or by that part of the kimono waist which extends over the shoulder to the depth of the dropped shoulder seam.

Long gloves of café au lait suède are worn with all kinds of elaborate frocks, not excepting white. These gloves must be very long and much wrinkled.

Although not new, the smartest bags that ap-

Although not new, the smartest bags that appeared at the races were decidedly smaller than

last year, round or slightly oval in shape, and made of satin, taffeta or faille, usually in black or blue, and sprigged at intervals with tiny bouquets of flowers embroidered in colors. No metal shows except in the clasp itself, which is frequently set with jewels, and in the jeweled slides which ornament the inch-wide band of grosgrain ribbon that slips over the arm. Similar in shape and mountings and embroi-dery, are the bags of heavy white faille which

carried with white frocks. Now that all gowns are being worn so much shorter in front than formerly, the question of shoes and stockings is an interesting and important one. A plain, fine but not thin, black silk stocking is always in good taste for street wear. For evening wear the stocking is more transparent than ever before, and is frequently made with an insertion of Chantilly lace, either as a motif on the instep, or in a straight line from the top of the stocking to the toe.

While veils have not been worn during the late summer quite as much as usual because they are hard to arrange over the tulle-brimmed hats, and also because of the popularity of the very small hat which covered the hair without a veil, some new patterns have been introduced and favored. Allover lace veils in white, black, or colors are extremely good for morning or traveling wear. An allover, white lace veil with a touch of black running through the flower pattern is one of the most effective of these. For afternoon, with hats both large and small, a fine, tulle veiling is very smart. Thin tulle ror atternoon, with hats both large and small, a fine, tulle veiling is very smart. Thin tulle with a large mesh may be had in any color, and such veils are often edged with a narrow ribbon which fastens under the chin, is drawn up behind, and caught with a jeweled hair-pin.



# The BETRAYAL of the MOTHER TONGUE

EXCEEDINGLY blameworthy is the general attitude toward our language; so much so, in fact, that for decades traveled foreigners have declared that "English as she is spoke" in America brands us as a race of murderers. Although such a sweeping statement is unwarranted, it yet serves to warn us that the slovenly and even contemptuous treatment of our native tongue, by at least a majority of our countrymen, contrasts unflatteringly with the care exercised by other peoples in preserving their language against the injuries of the ignorant and the onslaughts of the rhetorically vicious.

WE have even fallen in with weird, linguistic proposals, such as "phonetic spelling," which could have no other effect than to lessen the dignity of our language and to debase it by inaccuracies in both spelling and pronunciation. Also, we consent with scarcely a protest to the admixture of wholly undesirable elements in the way of slang and the homeliest of provincialisms. Indifference in regard to the fate of our spoken language has been so marked, and the forces which cheapen it have so increased in variety and influence, that there are those who tremble lest the mother tongue become merely a memory.

L ATTERLY, however, the lovers of English undefiled have found some slight encouragement in the interest in its study shown by academic institutions. Equally gratifying is the public-spirited act of a distinguished ethical leader, who has offered a prize to public school children for proficiency in English. Such educational efforts are excellent beginnings of a movement in behalf of a purer national language, but an influence which would bring quicker and better results could be wielded by the women of the smart world if they would but take the matter up with that same devotion and skill which they exercise so admirably in furthering similar worthy objects. Women of social prominence could set a fashion in favor of excellent English, and make of it an object of desire to all classes, just as they now set fashions in beautiful gems, rare laces, and modish gowning. They would, of course, be forced to assume the rôle of exemplars, but the tactful American woman could accomplish even this difficult task in a way which would rob it of any liability to the charge of didacticism. Once let our social leaders place the stamp of boorishness upon inelegant English and there will be a prompt revision of the etiquette of the spoken word.

THE personal contact to-day between the woman of the smart world and her poorer sisters affords great opportunity for propagandic work in behalf of better English, for the women and girls of any class are infinitely more interested in advancing the fortunes of their little group socially than are the men of their families. For this reason the women of the middle class conform, so far as they can, to the fashions of clothes and deportment set by the smart women of the country. They embrace every opportunity which comes to them to ascertain just what the accepted custom, practise, or garment is, and this ambition opens the way for the social leader to issue a decree to the country at large that impure English is taboo.

THIS willingness to follow a strong leader makes a peculiarly happy opportunity for effective work in behalf of preserving the purity of the native tongue. If it is made plain that speech, quite as much as fashionable gowning, is the touchstone of smartness, then the correct use of English will become an accepted rule. A crusade for pure English is, indeed, an object worthy of high endeavor, for not only is it a subject which involves patriotism as well as good taste, but it furnishes, also, an opportunity for personal distinction to leaders who are willing to throw their influence into it seriously.



BY THE ADDITION OF AN ODD DRAPERY WHICH MAKES FOR WARMTH, THE SPONSORING OF NEW WOOL FABRICS, AND THE CUTTING OF A FROCK COATWISE, FASHION SUBTLY INDICATES HER READINESS FOR AUTUMN

The "empiècement" on the skirt of this blue serge dress, paralleled with black braid straps caught at either end under black crochet buttons, gives a military effect which is borne out by the deep, hood-like collar of black satin which widens from the revers to fall below the waist like nothing so much as an officer's cape. The slashed sleeve is button-trimmed and is supplemented by an undersleeve of white tulle

To meet the early autumn in good faith and yet be loyal to the summer, a model of forest-green, silk-and-wool bengaline (a new material, by the way), simulates a jacket and yet remains a dress. The loose bodice, cut like a waistooat and caught at the frilled neck and at the waist under flat, brown bows, conveys the smart corsetless effect. The short tunic which extends across the back and sides, almost to the knees, confirms the coat impression that the waistcoat first gives

Not quite so long, nor yet quite so voluminous as the summer mantle is the motor coat of dark brown velours broadcloth, a fabric which makes a fall début. The high, rolling collar is of écru satin underlaid with a band of green satin, which extends down the front of the coat. A decorative fastening is attained by a semi-circular tab which comes from the right shoulder, buttons twice, and slips under a strap

# HARBINGERS of a VELVET SEASON



Now that the sun has spent its fury and the need is past, a Georgette model of brown velvet, trimmed in brown plumes and paradise, is illogically broad brimmed



J. M. GIDDING AND COMPANY

The brim of a black velvet Marie Louise hat, crown-bound with moire ribbon, curves low at the right, and at the back, topped by a high Numidie, turns perpendicularly up against the crown



A brim of decided ups and downs gives an air of quaintness to a Marie Louise model of black velvet trimmed with a half-blown pink rose set in a moire bow



The favor of the fickle Parisienne turns toward butterfly trimming. Over the tam o'shanter crown of an all but brimless Saget hat of black velvet hovers a butterfly winged in tulle and velvet, with feathers for antennæ



The deepening side brim of a youthful Saget model of blue velvet is heightened by a pair of dark blue wings which are caught with a ribbon bow at the joining, and poised quite as if for flight above a soft, puffed crown



THOUGH GREAT LATITUDE IN THE SHAPING OF BRIMS IS ALLOWED, THERE IS A NOTABLE TENDENCY TO TURN THEM UP SHARPLY AT THE FRONT, SIDE, OR BACK

IMPORTATIONS FROM KURZMAN



A one-tone, one-material hat. Reboux has swathed a moderately broad-brimmed, roundcrowned shape with a rich purple velvet, which is knotted into a loop at the back

Curious is the angle given this bonnetshaped model from Susanne Talbot by the posing of the curling fantasic on the sharply turned-back brim, bound with patent leather

THE SINGLE, ODDLY POSED TRIMMING WHICH CHARACTERIZES SO MANY OF THE AUTUMN MODELS REQUIRES THAT THE WEARER KNOW INSTINCTIVELY THE ANGLE OF SMARTNESS

# HATS of a FEATHER



A paradise in an acorn base of braid quivers on the upturned brim of black velvet like a bird upon a bough. This unusual effect has been obtained by Eliane





Over the brim of this velvet model from Virot droops, in front, the braided ends of the crown band, and, in back, the uncurled flues of an ostrich feather



The popular butterfly, here developed in feathers, alights upon a velvet shape, rolled up all around with an unexpected sameness. Model from Boniface



A shapely shapeless turban of black velours to which has been appended one almost upright and one gracefully drooping feather of bright green ostrick



Entirely of white tulle is this frock—which is not quite as perishable as it sounds, for tulle in Paris is a material finer than the finest Brussels net, yet with much of its durability. This model might possess an ivory monotand shadows given at intervals by the bunching into fulness of the pointed tulle on the baby sleeves and the topmost tunic

Miss Fanny Ward turned the heads of a race course gathering by wearing this dress of many sections. The oddly sleeved bodice of black lace over rose-printed chiffon is followed by black velvet girdle, black tulle frill, black lace tunic, and chiffon skirt. The lace hat is set upon a velvet band which dares to copy, though fortunately unsuccessfully, the fearsome bandeau of a decade-old style

MODELS WIDELY DIVERSIFIED IN TYPE
THAT AT THE RACES CAUGHT AND HELD
THE EYE OF FASHION-WISE PARIS



No mincing of fashion terms can deny that this fur-trimmed, white brocaded skirt is topped by a basque—shouldered, it is true, with chiffon to please the diaphanous taste; of 1913, but none the less a basque. One would expect to see the fur toque at the St. Moritz rink, but, no—a summer race day saw its début

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A FIFTH AVENUE specialty shop is showing some excellent copies of good French hat models, in clever adaptations of the new lines, and most of them at reasonable prices. The hat sketched at the upper right of the page is one of these attractive developments. It is of black velvet, the edge bound with black satin. The oddly shaped brim rolls away from the face into an extremely becoming line at either side. Bands of black and white tulle, placed one over the other, show at the front in a pretty, blended gray, and two white wings are placed diagonally across the back. The placed diagonally across the back. The materials in this model are good and the

## THE SEASON'S HAT LORE

style is very smart.

A large shop which has a deservedly A large shop which has a deservedly good reputation for making hats at moderate prices, shows the young girl's mushroon hat of black velvet sketched second from the top of the page. The edge of the brim is bound with white silk, and black patent leather finishes both edges of the band which encircles the soft crown. White, chenille-embroidered dissies dot the brim at intervals, and one of the band which encircles the soft crown. White, chenille-embroidered daisies dot the brim at intervals, and one marks the end of the crown band. This is a charmingly simple hat for general wear. The hat of black velvet and tulle sketched third in the column is possessed

of a brim-line which has proved to be generally becoming. The double plaiting of tulle, following the shape of the brim, is higher in the back than in the front. Tulle has become marvelously serviceable and makes the transition to wintri-ness less sudden than an all-velvet model. Moreover, this ruffle may be replaced by plaited moire ribbon later in the season. The last of the four hats comes from



This season favors the more generally becoming medium-length coat for the tailored suit. Price, \$39.50

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First Fall Hats-the Autumn Tailored Suit and Its Close Rival, the Street Frock of Dark Serge-Vanity Boxes, Traveling Bags, and What You Will

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Two indoor-outdoor frocks of serge at \$35 and \$45 respectively, which come to replace the silk gown when the chill of autumn is in the air

the same shop as the two just described. It shows the sharply turned-up side brim which is finding much favor in Paris. The brim is faced with soft, plaited velower vet and trimmed on the high side with Numidie feathers; the crown is soft, but not particularly full. For wear with afternoon gowns, or with a semi-tailored suit, this hat would be particularly attractive and appropriate.

## BETWEEN-SEASONS GOWNS

The ideal between-seasons gown—when a silk dress is too cool and appears too summery—is of light-weight, dark serge. Although such frocks are by no means easy to find so early in the season, the two gowns illustrated in the middle of the page are being shown by a Fifth Avenue shop. The one on the left, of very dark, closely woven blue serge, is in a good, plain-tailored style. The revers, girdle, and buttonholes are of black satin. The waist shows the loose, kimono cut The ideal between-seasons gown-when girdle, and buttonholes are of black satin. The waist shows the loose, kimono cut which is necessary to give the large-waisted effect now fashionable. The skirt is not draped, but some fulness is given by a soft plait laid in at the front. Tulle forms the collarless vest, and long, black silk fringe edges the satin sash. This dress comes also in white, Copenhagen blue, and black.

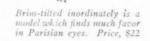
The second dress is rather less tai-

The waist has a white filet lace vest, edged in plaited tulle. The short peplum is braided attractively across the peplum is braided attractively across the lower edge, and the braid motif is repeated on the sleeves, the girdle, and the sash-ends. Although the skirt is quite plain it is cut on good lines, with its severity relieved by a sash which falls to the knees at the left side. Dark blue serge and an excellent quality of black satin are the materials used in this feed.

satin are the materials used in this frock.

Coats will be longer than last winter, although there is still a considerable lati-tude of choice in this respect. Dark blue, tude of choice in this respect. Dark blue, black, burgundy, deep brown, and mahogany, are about the best colors of the season. They may be had in diagonal serge, cheviot, velours broadcloth, or bengaline. The latter makes a better afternoon suit, but the all-wool materials will stand harder wear. Sketched to the left of the page is an excellent tailored suit, the coat cut in a conservative length which will be much more becoming to most people than were the extremely short coats. This model is in the new material — silk-and-wool bengaline—and short coats. This model is in the new material—silk-and-wool bengaline—and comes in all colors. The collar and cuffs are of duvetyn—a soft cloth with a velours finish—and the back seams are bound with satin. The skirt opens conveniently at the middle-front toward which the sides are draped. veniently at the middle-f which the sides are draped.





A very lovely imported A very lovely imported lingerie waist, sketched at the upper right of this page, is made somewhat of a "special" by a Fifth Avenue shop. It is of sheer batiste, made and embroidered entirely by hand. There entirely by hand. There are narrow insertions of Irish and filet lace around the neck, the workmanship and cut are equally good, and it is just the waist to wear with the autumn suit. suit

A Parisian fad, which is not only pretty but has splendid economical possibilities, is shown in the plaited tulle sleeve sketched at the lower left of this page. An elbow- or three-quarter-length page. An elbow- or three-quarter-length sleeve may be easily lengthened for the autumn in this way, and the plaited tulle or net used in this one is quite durable, and may be bought for \$1.50 a yard, eighteen inches deep. The lower edge of the sleeve may be caught at the wrist by a band of black velvet and drawn in to form a fell were the head.

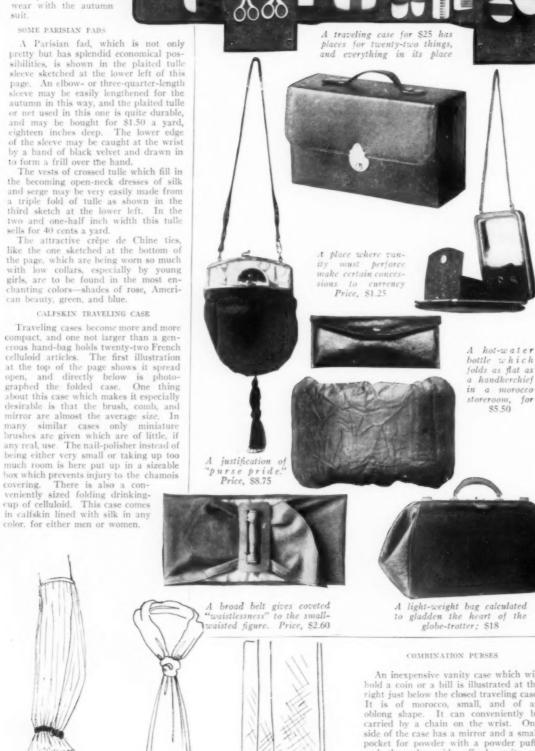
the becoming open-neck dresses of silk and serge may be very easily made from a triple fold of tulle as shown in the third sketch at the lower left. In the

sells for 40 cents a yard.

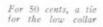
The attractive crêpe de Chine ties, like the one sketched at the bottom of the page, which are being worn so much with low collars, especially by young girls, are to be found in the most enchanting colors—shades of rose, American beauty, green, and blue.

Traveling cases become more and more Traveling cases become more and more compact, and one not larger than a generous hand-bag holds twenty-two French celluloid articles. The first illustration at the top of the page shows it spread open, and directly below is photographed the folded case. One thing about this case which makes it especially desirable is that the brush, comb, and mirror are almost the average size. In many similar cases only miniature many similar cases only miniature brushes are given which are of little, if any real, use. The nail-polisher instead of being either very small or taking up too much room is here put up in a sizeable

color, for either men or women



Plaited tulle to lengthen sleeves, at \$1.50 a yard





Tulle folds to vest frocks,

An inexpensive vanity case which will hold a coin or a bill is illustrated at the right just below the closed traveling case. right just below the closed traveling case. It is of morocco, small, and of an oblong shape. It can conveniently be carried by a chain on the wrist. One side of the case has a mirror and a small pocket for powder with a powder puff, and the other side affords quite an ample space for money.

A "pouch bag" is the descriptive name given the hand-bag shown at the left of the vanity case just described. Such bags are being carried a great deal just now, and are distinctly useful for hand-kerchief, pad, and card-case, as well as

kerchief, pad, and card-case, as well as money. The novelty of this bag is the



Hand-made in every seam and lavishly hand-embroi-dered is this lingerie blouse for \$11.50

small, round mirror, which is attached smail, round mirror, which is attached by a short strap to one side and which jumps up like a jack-in-the-box when the bag is opened. The mirror does not need to be adjusted at all; it is there when it is wanted, and is not in the way when it is not wanted. This bag comes in pin seal and morocco, on a gilt frame, and is lined with white action. and is lined with white satin.

## BAGS AND BELTS

A hot-water bag, which has all the virtues and none of the objections to which the usual rubber article falls heir, is illustrated below the pouch bag. It is is illustrated below the pouch bag. It is
of a dark, mercerized cotton material
with a rubberized interior and an unleakable top. For use in traveling, or
for an invalid, it is invaluable as when
not in use it may be folded up as flat as
a handkerchief and stored in the morocco
case shown just above it.

A traveling bag which is especially
light in construction is shown at the
lower right of the group of articles in

case shown just above it.

A traveling bag which is especially light in construction is shown at the lower right of the group of articles in the middle of the page. It comes in fine, black morocco with a gilt or a gunmetal frame, and a lining of lavender silk. It is strong as well as light, and is, of course, fitted with lock and key.

It is a common rumor that when the waist is not naturally large enough to give the present "waistless" effect, it must be padded out. This seems a ridiculous state of affairs, but certain it is that large waists and wide belts are the order of the day. A broad, suède belt, seven inches deep, lined with satin, is illustrated at the left of the traveling bag. This belt comes in all sizes, in white, black, light blue, lavender, Copenhagen blue, pink, deep purple, brick shade, chamois color, terra-cotta, green, and orange. The five-inch width of this belt sells for \$2.15, and the seven-inch width for \$2.60.

## A WEE SHOPPING GUIDE

To assist the mother who must add to her own endless shopping the task of keeping a baby's wardrobe complete, one of the well-known shops has published a most accommodating booklet for distribution among its patrons which catalogues every wee article his majesty, the baby, may require, from caps to bootees, and from miniature woolen undershirts to hand-embroidered frocks.

Note:—Addresses of the shops will be furnished on request, or the Shopping Department of Vogue will buy for you without extra charge. Address, Vogue Shopping Service, 443 Fourth Avenue. near 30th Street.



FOR EARLY AUTUMN WEAR ARRIVE A SUIT
ON VERY LONG LINES AND A DRESS ON MORE
FAMILIAR ONES—THE TYRANNIZING FLOUNCE

Coats with long lines we have had this summer, but they have been of the cut-away length of the swallowtail. In this suit, the skirt of which is absolutely plain, the coat length is much the same depth all around and is cut away only to allow for the unique insertion of a resplendent waistcoat of brocade

A basque that escapes beneath a girdle of Saxe-blue grosgrain is an interesting feature of this mustard-colored satin dress. Another noteworthy detail is the way in which the revers of the double collar lose themselves in the body of the waist. The skirt is draped from an almost invisible, short, round yoke

A fur-trimmed, white chiffon frock that has not escaped the tyranny of the flounce. The brown tone of the sable finds support in the chestnut-colored bow and ends that are the climax of the white chiffon girdle. Unusually full are the kimono sleeves that taper to the wrist under a double frill of white tulle

# SMART FASHIONS for LIMITED INCOMES

She Who Would Span the Gap between the Summer and Winter Wardrobes Must Pay in Late Summer Foresightedness for Autumn Contentment



SPECIALLY to women limited incomes does the light, flannel suiting appeal, for in addition to its smartness it has

addition to its smartness it has the practical charm of withstanding the ravages of damp weather without the usual amount of irksome pressing. Although it is very desirable as a summer seashore material, this suiting is a most valuable asset to the wardrobe during the early autumn months. In the

early autumn months. In the early autumn months. In the second sketch at the top of the page is shown a French suit of light-weight, beige flannel. The skirt is cut on long, simple lines with a stitched hem running up the middle-front. Just below the waist-line, at the right, is a small change pocket which adds both convenience and novelty. The coat is faced with self-toned crêpe de Chine, and the stitched collar is of flannel. The coat is made on with the right weight to be comfortably worn until the really cold weather begins. At no time of the year does the sep-

arate coat come into such constant use as in the early fall. The one sketched in the third figure on this page is particularly well designed. It is of gray frieze trimmed with gray, bone buttons and collared in white ratine. The belt and collared in white ratine. The belt passes through slits at the sides of the coat and holds it snugly to

the figure at both front and back. This is not a heavy coat, yet the material is far warmer than many of those which are usually offered in ready-made models.

## A NEW-OLD GOWN

The attractive drapery on The attractive drapery on the gown shown in the illustration at the upper right of the page could be easily made by combining with new materials a gown which has been worn until its original freshness is gone. For the foundation of the drapery a satin slip which was originally the foundation of a ball

of all trimming and ornamentation and of all trimming and ornamentation and then hung with, say, mauve chiffon if the slip be of light green. An eighteen-inch width of the chiffon is draped from the waist-line at the front, over the shoulder, and straight down the middle-back of the skirt to half-way between the knee and ankle. Here the two ends meet

the slightly bouffant skirt drapery.

The shoulder drapery may be finished by a silver cord sewed an inch inside the edge and dotted at intervals with tiny, silver roses and green leaves. A silver cord, held in place at the front by a large rose, also of silver, makes the effective belt. The foundation material of which such a gown is made need not be expensive, and as sketched it would be a charming tea-time or home-dinner gown. Another lovely color combination antique blue and gold roses over shell

## AN ECONOMICAL NEGLIGEE

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An old satin slip, a few widths of new chiffon, and a great deal of ingenuity accomplish this informal dinner gown

drapery of pink satin which cascades down the front and is finished by a cording of the material and a weighted tassel. The snugly fitting bodice is of flowered pink chiffon, but it would be equally effective if made from a piece of embroidered muslin or batiste left from another gown. The cording around the neck is of pink satin which matches that on the skirt, and there is a nar-row, upstanding frill of shadow lace. The straight girdle and the small bow at the front are of violet velvet ribbon.

## THE OPAQUE PETTICOAT

As gowns are persistently diaphanous, it is only reasonable that petticoats should take on some of the substantial qualities with which the gowns dispense. qualities with which the gowns dispense. This does not in any sense mean that the petticoat becomes a garment of bulk, or ceases to be a thing of grace and beauty, but merely that it is made of cleverly opaque materials. There is a certain crêpe de Chine, charmingly soft and light, which is a favorite fabric for the underskirt because it is substantial enough to yield itself to careful fitting, and keeps its shape indefinitely. Such an one is shown at the lower left of the an one is shown at the lower left of the page. It is of white crêpe de Chine, page. It is of white crêpe de Chine, fitted with exactness at the hips and about the waist. The placket buttons snugly under several loops of thin rib-bon. The ace flounce at the bottom is mounted on a single layer of chiffon and headed by sprays of tiny roses which are by no means the common rosebud trimby no means the common roseoud trim-ming one buys by the yard in the shops. Instead, the sprays are of tiny roses, hand-made of quarter-inch rose silk rib-bon with loops of green ribbon for foliage

## A SERVICEABLE DINNER DRESS

An excellent dinner dress for a limited An excellent dinner dress for a limited income is one that was recently seen at the Ritz, in New York. The material was a wonderful shade of supple, dark green taffeta, somewhere in tone between emerald and bottle green. Its making was the simplest thing in the world, as there was no trimming, except a fichu of white chiffon, which pointed (Continued on page 92)



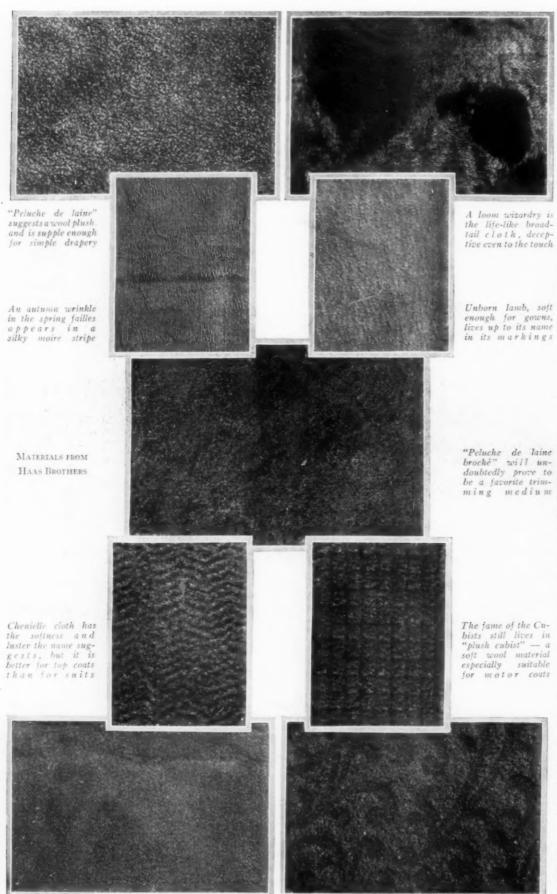
Long-waisted like a little girl's frock is this unique model of suède-green tussur with stitched "empiècements" under the arms and two-thirds of a tunic dropping to the knees. On each flat bow of green silk, which matches the banding of the tunic is set a passementerie button. The guimpe is of accordion-plaited linen, finished at throat and wrists with Valenciennes-edged frills

To three demands of the summer, a frill, a tunic, and a peplum, is added a premonitory bit of mink used for the bordering of the tunic and the banding of the frills. A wide girdle of white liberty satin confuses the waist-line with the hip-line, and the tunic of white mousseline de soie drapes under it to be supplemented in turn by a satin skirt, which matches the girdle and the underblouse

As simple as well may be is this frock of rose moire, trimmed with green ribbons and relieved by a vest of white chiffon. So loosely hung is the bodice that apparently only the two bowed ribbons restrain it from slipping back. A wavering thread of green embroidery outlines the collar, tasseled in green. The draped skirt separates in a sharp cutaway, giving a somewhat "trousered" effect

THREE PARIS FROCKS, EACH OF WHICH TAKES A LIBERTY WITH
THE FEMININE WAIST-LINE WARRANTED ONLY BY THE NOVELTY,
THE SMARTNESS, AND THE GRACE OF LINE ATTAINED THEREBY

## THE STUFFS SUITS ARE MADE OF



"Drap de nymphe," similar to a satin-finished broadtail but infinitely lighter, is being combined with rough, brocaded stuffs

"Peluche de laine broché" is one of the brocaded wool materials designed and dyed to accompany the pliable "drap de nymphe"

THE chief characteristics of the new imported materials for the autumn and winter are a marvelous softness and pliability, and yet the surfaces, in the majority of cases, are rough. Colors are almost invariably dark and rich, and in some instances very clear. What bright shades are shown in street materials are of the red tones, and these will be used for wraps rather than suits. Gay notes of color will be achieved by waistcoats and trimming, and even by furs.

## THE FAMILY OF VELOURS

The velours stuffs, which always show a rough rather than a satiny finish, will probably be nost worn, and are appearing this season in great variety under new names. Peluche de laine, shown here in the upper, left-hand corner, is one of these; the surface has the soft, woolly appearance of velours de laine but without its characteristic lengthwise stripe. Some of the new shades in this material are brick, a soft red resembling terra-cotta pottery; suède green, a clear deep shade; Callot blue, which is clearer and more colorful than navy but nearly as dark; and chocolate brown.

material are brick, a soft red resembling terra-cotta pottery; suède green, a clear deep shade; Callot blue, which is clearer and more colorful than navy but nearly as dark; and chocolate brown.

Peluche de laine also comes in a brocaded material, known as peluche de laine broché, which for suits is combined with drap de nymphe—a fabric with a broadcloth finish but infinitely softer and lighter. These two stuffs are illustrated at the bottom of the page. Again the colorings are deep and dark—mole, Russian green, which is just off 'lack, and Sultan, a clear, pinkish garnet.

## REALISTIC BROADTAIL CLOTH

Perhaps the greatest wizardry of the looms this season is apparent in a broadtail cloth (shown in the upper, right-hand corner of the page), which so cleverly imitates the actual fur that it is hard to believe it is not a real skin. With its long hair, perfect marking, and extreme softness, it is not to be compared to the fur cloths of yesteryear. Oddly enough, it is not confined to black alone, but comes in mole, corbeau blue, prune, seal brown, and Russian green. Already one of the great French houses has made a suit of genuine black broadtail, and it is likely that the broadtail cloth will be used for this same purpose, although not as much as for wraps.

although not as much as for wraps.

Another cloth novelty for suits is unborn lamb, a very soft, thin material with a rough surface, which has an indefinite marking resembling the actual skin. This, too, comes in various colors and would be appropriate for semi-tailored suits, but it is not heavy enough for wraps.

The only fabric with a decided satin finish is a marvelously soft one, which is best described by the name it is given—"kitten's ear." It is a lovely material, and so drapable that it could be used for gowns as well as suits. The colorings, which are in the usual dark shades, in-

which are in the usual dark shades, include a Japanese blue which is beautiful.

The faille materials which were so popular in the spring show a new wrinkle in a moire effect, in which the rib is fine, with the moire stripe running across it. This new weave is designated under the name of Ottoman moire. Midnight blue and the dark shades prevail.

## SUITABLE FOR WRAPS

Chenielle cloth, which has a rough, wavy surface, well pictured in the illustration on the left of the page, is quite unlike anything shown heretofore. It is distinctly attractive, but, except for the very slender woman, it is better fitted for wraps than for suiks. To the right of this is "plush cubist," a velours stuff woven in neat little cubes, which would make exceedingly good motor coats or even more elaborate wraps, bordered with fur.



From Louison comes a brown velvet shape which is given an odd quirk in the back accented by a perky, burnt orange wing



Though the coat of this suit of brown "peluche de laine" is short, waist-deep in front, and hanging a little over the matching satin girdle in back, it gives the appearance of a long coat by the tunic





Of that broad, low, well-shaped type that bespeaks tailored perfection is this velours hat, banded widely with ribbed velvet ribbon which finishes under a shallow plaiting. From Victor Jay & Co., London



A shape which, sheering far from eccentricity, accomplishes smartness in a most quiet way. About the crown of blue velours, lined with a darker blue velvet, are lapped tiny wings, blue in front, canary yellow at the back



Of black velours, soft as moleskin, is this English hat banded with a strip of green suède, narrow at the front and widening at the back, to which is strapped a green wing. From Victor Jay & Co., London

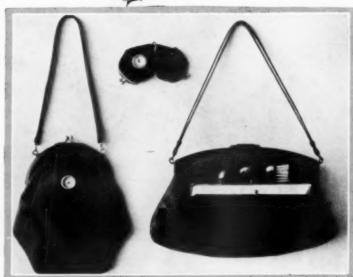
SOME ENGLISH HATS WHICH, AVOIDING EXTREMES, YET ACHIEVE A DEGREE OF

SMARTNESS AND BEAUTY NOT ALWAYS
GRANTED TO MORE DARING MODELS



Of green-and-white checked velvet is this severe Valentine About hat. Brimmed like an Englishman's derby and crowned like his dress hat, it concedes to trimming only a green and black velvet bow

A tiny, gold-mounted bag holds a tiny coin purse and a tinier watch; the leather pouch bag at the left mounts a watch, and



Contrary to custom a bandeau lifts this Hermance hat of rich brown velvet off the hair. An uncurled ostrich feather begins under the bandeau and curls back over the brim toward the "tam" crown

into the pin seal bag at the right of the group fit a change purse, a clothes brush, and a bottle of smelling-salts

HATS AND PURSES FROM FIELDING

AS TO TRIMMINGS, THE NEW HATS YIELD FIRST PLACE TO OSTRICH FEATHERS, AND AS TO BRIMS, THEY WIDEN AS THEY WILL



The regularity of the crown of this Lewis model in black velvet re-establishes the symmetry which the irresponsible brim bids fair to forfeit. Grosgrain ribbon and two sprays of Marie Antoinette roses complete its chic personality

Jeanne Lanvin twists a strip of brown velvet into an odd toque of the Hindustan type, and confirms her oriental influence by poising a stiff brown tuft of ostrich in front, and swinging a string of rhinestones beneath the chin

An Evelyne Varon "tam," in which the black velvet brim, by the addition of a moire band, usurps the importance usually assumed by the crown; indeed, it quite conceals the soft puff. A quill sweeps down and backward from the brim

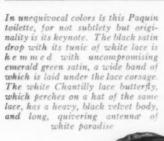
A shape not new, but which has received a new lease of life, is developed by Georgette in dark green velvet. Its brevet to newness is given by the trimming—a long, uncurled ostrich feather rooted in a short, fluffily curled ostrich

Taking a simple, regular shape of brown velvet, Evelyne Varon molds it to originality by giving it an odd turn over the left eye, and sticking two long quills, stripped half-way of their flues, most uniquely through the flap

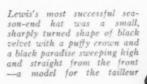
Models from Estelle Mershon

THE OLD NEWS IN HATS IS THAT THEY WILL CONTINUE SMALL OR MEDIUM; THE NEW NEWS THAT MANY WILL BE OF BLACK VELVET WITH A SINGLE TRIMMING, THE POSING OF WHICH WILL CONSTITUTE THEIR ORIGINALITY











Patriotic France never lets a season go by without some development of the national tricorne, here a wavering black velvet shape, to the left side of which a curly, black ostrich is anchored in a shiny jet base



Wonderfully harmonious would be the toilette completed by this three-piece set designed by Lewis. A brim of black velvet, a crown of black taffeta, and a band of blue fox fur, the color of which is intensified by a bright blue velvet rose, constitute the hat. This device of a blue rose is repeated on black taffeta neck-piece and muff, both of which are shirred and lined with plaited blue chiffon

A MILLINER WHO IS MAKING ONLY SMALL HATS, AND WHO IS SHOWING GREAT PARTIALITY FOR A LONG "KNIFE" OF FEATHERS

LEWIS MODELS SHOWN BY FERLE HELLER

The crow gives his blue-black color to the velvet, the cock his feathers—black, shading to an iridescent green—as a trimming; this sweeping ornament is caught to the brim by a flutter of crow-blue ribbons

## BELMONT TOWN HOUSE T h e

When, as is Rarely the Case, a Town House is Spacious Enough for Magnificent Entertaining, It Permits a Medieval Splendor in Decoration

M RS. O. H. P. BELMONT'S limestone mantel, and a fireplace and house, which occupies the northeast corner of Fifty-first

RS. O. H. P. BELMONT'S limestone mantel, and a fireplace and hearth of black quarry tile and brick. From the library a staircase leads to Street and Madison Avenue, covers two city lots. Apparently it was designed for that splendid form of entertaining which has often forced society from the home to Sherry's and the Colony Club.

From the street level leads a main hall, twenty-seven by twenty-four feet, digni-fied by an imposing staircase and flanked hed by an imposing staircase and flanked by a reception-room on one side and a dining-room on the other. The dining-room will accommodate the largest din-ner party. The ceiling is framed in high relief gold and painted by Robert Reid. The walls are of marble, richly gar-landed in a floral design of bronze green on a white background. A green-and-gold brocaded table-cover, chairs uphol-stered in the same material, gold candela-bra, and a gold service emphasize the color note.

The library, which is also on the first floor, is finished in oak, with a beamed ceiling and a gleaming floor which preserve a warm, gray-brown tone relieved by the white of the medieval, carved

limestone mantel, and a fireplace and hearth of black quarry tile and brick.

From the library a staircase leads to the armory, which is a Gothic, stone hall, eighty-five by twenty-six feet, with Gothic, stained-glass windows designed by Hunt and Hunt, and painted by Miss Helen Maitland Armstrong. The treasures of this room—thirteen standing suits of armor, three mounted horse suits, and one of the greatest collections of spurs and bits in the world—are of immense value.

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There are four rooms on the second floor of the house, exclusive of the armory—a white-and-gold drawing-room, a green-and-gold drawing-room, Mrs. Belmont's den, and the Stone Room. The Stone Room is in medieval design, with a Gothic, strap ceiling, walls of decorated, serviette paneling, and a mantel and chimney-piece of gray stone. Of the unusual decorations, one of the most interesting is a fifteenth cenof the most interesting is a fifteenth century tapestry suspended over a carved altar-table, rich in priestly vestments. Fifteenth century tapestry chairs and Persian rugs complete the decorative scheme.

L. R. McCabe.





arched ceiling a Gothic room hordes a fabu-lously valuable collection of ar-morial treasures

Beneath its high

The beamed ceiling and polished floor of the li-brary form a gray-brown foil for a medieval mantel of limestone and a hearth of tile

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Walled in white marble, enriched with branze-green festoons, and ceiled with a painting by Robert Reid, is the beautiful dining-hall







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# OLD-WORLD DESIGNS DONE INTO NEW-WORLD FABRICS



look like velvet is a linen terial which, over its design, drops subtle, two-toned stripes, filling the fabric with color

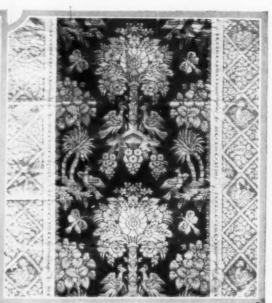
LTHOUGH the Chinese influence dominates the textile market to-day, at least so far as decorative textiles are concerned, there are other influences at work none the less important because more restricted. All the higher-class stuffs are in designs faithfully copied from fabrics woven centuries ago, many of them Chinese, but many also from Italy, England, and other countries.

It is to the museums, not to the studios, that the manufacturers of the rar-est fabrics go for their designs, for they are beginning to realize that, partly beare beginning to realize that, party because commercialism has so permeated art, the designers of to-day, clever as they are, can not compete with those olden artists whose whole lives were deolden artists whose whole lives were devoted to their art and who, working under the magnificent patronage of princes and dukes, or in love of church or monastery, knew no restrictions of time, money, or labor. To these great artists, whose work has stood the test of ages, our manufacturers resort, contenting themselves with the actual making of the fabric, into which they put materials more suited to our modern needs.

The illustration at the upper left of the page shows a Louis Fourteenth design in most delightful colorings. The background is a soft tan, and the figure is of the same tone, but lighter in value. Perpendicularly through the material







On a metal background striped in rose and green wholly impossible blue birds preen themselves un-der wholly impossible blue trees. Price, \$6 a yard

run two-and-one-half inch stripes, alterrun two-and-one-half inch stripes, alternately of green and blue, and so neutral as to be unobtrusive. The material is woven of pure linen, but it has the pile of a costly velvet. It is particularly well adapted either for covering Elizabethan or Jacobean furniture or for the heavier Italian piages. It haves a wearing each of the proper pages of the proper pages of the proper pages of the proper pages. Italian pieces. It knows no wearing out, and is moth-proof. It may be had in lengths twenty-eight inches wide for \$5.25 a yard.

For a wall-covering has been made a lovely fabric which is quite within the reach of a modest purse. It is photographed in the upper left corner of page 62. Every thread in this material is of mercerized cotton, and the design of gold thread is so blended with the gray background that it is scarcely distinguishable. This textile, which creditably takes the place of the rich silk damask of the Italian Renaissance from which it was copied, is fifty inches wide and retails for \$2.65 a yard.

At the right of the illustration just described is shown a photograph of an-

scribed is shown a photograph of an-other very lovely material called *rayure* velours. It is made of uncut linen woven after the manner of the uncut vilours or velvets, and the pattern is raised above the background in cameo effect. It is fifty inches wide and comes in a variety

of color combinations for \$6.75 a yard. Of purely Jacobean design is the material shown at the upper right of page



A glazed, lamp-shade chintz shows a quaint Japanese landscape set in a frame like a cathedral window. Price, \$2.25 a yard

On cloth-of-gold is woven a curi-ous Italian design in mandarin yellow. E i g h-teen inches wide, price, \$16 a yard

Heavy bouquets of Borghese vel-vet flowers bro-caded on a ground of ivory satin. Eighteen inches wide, \$10 a yard





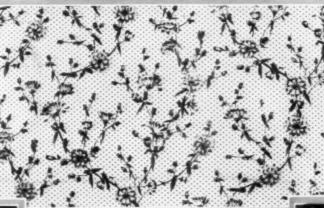
Unlike its Italian prototype this stately pattern is woven on mercerized cotton

62. It is woven of silk and linen in a black and gold design, and is intended for use as hangings. It is fifty inches wide and sells for \$5.25 a yard.

Wonderfully like the old petit point is the cloth for a chair seat and back which is shown just below. The background is black and the thousand flowers are scattered over it as in early thirteenth-century stitchery. The wreath, however, dates back only to Louis Fifteenth's reign.



Clean-cut as a cameo is the tri-colored design which rises above atan background



A glazed chintz for \$1.25 a yard is scat-tered with small, blue bachelor buttons, each possessing the most delicate of foliage



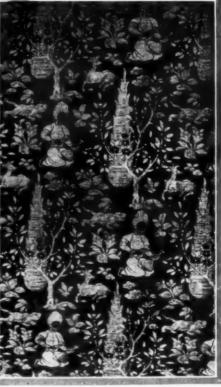
An Italian Renaissance design is exquisitely threaded in silver on French-blue silk



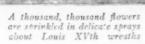
Brocaded in a riot of gold is a wall-covering which smacks of the Jacobean period

Subtle gradations of tone are remarkably well carried out in the flowers which have in them touches of rose, French blue, gold, and even heliotrope. This piece of upholstery is fifty inches wide and is priced at \$26 a yard.

The piece of damask shown in the middle at the bottom of this page is of French-blue silk interwoven with silver threads. It is twenty-one inches wide and sells for \$20 a yard.



Gold animals and a mysterious, magician-like figure on a black background, \$5.25 a yard



## VOGUE'S PATTERN SERVIC



Nos. 2279/17-2280/17

INFORMATION from the earliest showings of winter fashions in Paris has made possible these advance patterns of the new mode. For instance, the gown shown on the left is not only new but particularly becoming. The short tunic is now a marked fashion feature in Paris and, like the kimono waist, has an ever-increasing popularity. This model is extremely simple to make, and would be charming in a soft velvet or silk crêpe in the new, very dark brown or green, with the belt of satin ribbon, the vest of cream satin, and the surplice neckpiece and plaited undersleeves of tulle. It is, however, an adaptable style, and could be made as appropriately of



Nos. 2362/17-2363/17



newest autumn models. Velvet models. Velvet or crèpe would be charming for Nos. 2362/17-2363/17, while serge with fig-ured or plaid silk would be smart for Nos. 2 3 5 6 / 1 7 -2357/17



Nos. 2356/17-2357/17



Nos. 2274/17-2275/17

serge or other light-weight cloth with a plaid vest and belt.

The second gown, Nos. 2356/17-2357/17, is an excellent type of semi-tailored dress for between-seasons wear. Dark blue serge with the sleeves of taffeta in plain, plaid, or figured material, would be serviceable and not too warm. The skirt is distinctly new and easy to make.

make.

The separate waist will be worn again this season, sometimes in crêpe in a color harmonizing with the suit, and as often in white chiffon. No. 2360/17 would be lovely of the latter material trimmed with embroidery or narrow fur, while No. 2361/17 is a severer type, suitable for crêpe or moire for morning wear.



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# SEASONABLE GOWNS on SMART LINES



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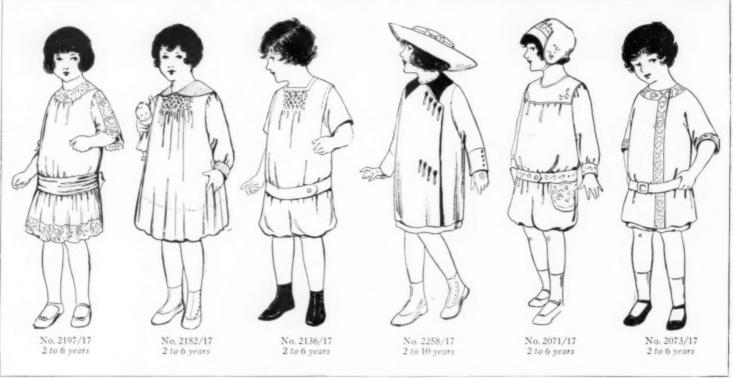
BLOUSES and guimpes have come into their own again, and great as is the vogue of waists, even greater is that for guimpes, vests, and neck frills of all sorts. Perhaps no styles are being so much worn as the two shown in the middle of the page. With dresses of silk or soft materials such as voile and crèpe, the upper one would be charming. With the tailored style of dress, the vest with turnover collar in handkerchief linen, embroidered by hand, would be soft and becoming. The dresses this autumn almost all show some sort of vest arrangement; the models in many cases allow for separate guimpes or vests, and very wisely, as it is only in this way that a vest may be kept immaculate. The two patterns, No. 2352/17, which includes



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The German Ambassador, Count von Bernstorff, and his son. He and his family have since left Newport, and the cottage they occupied has been taken by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens

Masters Rodman Wanamaker, Jr., of Philadelphia, and William H. Jackson of Nashville, Tennessee, are two of the younger generation of sportsmen who are visiting Narragansett this summer

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# HAMBURG- AMERICAN WHERE PARIS PLAYS "LE GOLF"

TO the average American the golf can the golf clubs in France occasion no small amount of surprise, accustomed as he is at home to those masterpieces of luxury which go by the name of country clubs, wherein every imaginable contrivance has been devised for the comfort

and pleasure of its members.

The country club as such can not be said to exist at all in France, and the tennis and golf clubs have been native to the country so short a time as still to be in a country so short a time as still to be in a more or less embryonic state. To be sure, La Boulie, which is by all odds the most famous, was founded some twelve years ago. This, as things move in years ago. This, as things move in America, is time enough to perfect any system or complete any universe, but it must be remembered that what to New Yorkers is an eon, is regarded by the continental as the affair of a moment.

Viewed in this light La Boulie is in the information of the product of the state of the s

its infancy, and has had scarcely time to emerge from the useful to the orna-mental period. It now serves as a meeting-place for the members, affords shelter for their clubs and togs, provides food for the hungry, and offers cups in profusion to the aspirant for golfing fame. Beyond that its duties cease, and its fame rests chiefly upon the excelle of the links (after all, the raison d'être of any golf club), and upon the num-ber and prestige of its members.

### THE APPROACH TO THE CLUB

At the tip-top of a steep hill just out-side the gates of the city of Versailles is situated the clubhouse. Though the apsituated the clubhouse. Though the proach to it is so steep, the road broad and well graded; indeed, the ease broad and well graded; indeed, the ease with which runs by motor are made from Paris to the club has been one of the chief causes of its success. From ten o'clock in the morning to late in the afternoon there is an endless train of smooth-running cars that spin up the smooth-running cars that spin up the winding road to deposit their loads of enthusiastic golfers, while for those members who arrive by train, the club maintains an auto bus to run to and from the Versailles station.

### THE HOUSE ITSELF

The clubhouse is a typical French villa, built of grayish stucco, half-timbered in a deep, soft brown. Around the steps are massed flowering shrubs, lilacs, and wistaria, which in the spring turn the narrow veranda at the back and the broad, pebbly terrace into a perfect bower of beauty.

The decoration of the interior, if decoration it may be called is chiefly

decoration it may be called, is chiefly conspicuous by its absence. The rooms are plastered and tinted and are paneled in walnut, while the chairs and tables

The Short Run from Paris to Versailles Lands the Sports-Loving Frenchman at La Boulie, One of the Smartest Golf Clubs in Europe

of wicker are obviously made for use: but this lack of elegance in furnishing is more than made up by the number of the attendants and the dignity of their service. Garçons in black-trouscred, red-coated liveries serve ceremoniously in the daintily appointed dining-room, the low windows of which look out over the terrace to the wooded hills beyond. Tiny bell-boys covered with innumerable buttons pop out at every turn, and maids and valets reign supreme in the dressing-rooms.

### THE FRENCH CADDY

The caddies are less magnificent in their attire, and partake of many of the characteristics of our native-grown spe-cies, but they make up in quantity what they lack in quality. They are, however, kept well in hand, and for the most part out of sight, in the picturesque, one-storied, vine-covered building, which flanks the roadway at the entrance and serves the double purpose of caddy-house and garage.

To a soberly uniformed individual is assigned the not too arduous task of signaling for the caddies as they are needed. He is stationed in a small cubability of the caddies as they are needed. byhole at the right of the front steps, and as each player descends, he emerges, vigorously waves a red flag in token to the caddy-master that the service of two or more of his flock is required, and then discreetly retires. Here, as in other well-regulated golf clubs, the caddies can not be engaged beforehand, and according to "hearsay" evidence the rule is well enforced. This has advantages, and likewise disadvantages, as all in-veterate golfers know.

### THE LAY OF THE LINKS

The eighteen-hole course, over six thousand yards in length, has been most cleverly laid out, for its organizers have been wise enough to accept the condi-tions imposed by nature, and, by using all the means at their hands, have largeby avoided the use of artificial hazards and bunkers. The course starts on the brink of the hill upon which the club is situated, runs along the crest for the first three holes, then descends, zig-zags to and fro about the base, turns on it-selt, and finally finishes on a high green overlooked from the terrace of the club-house. As it is rolling and narrow, yet

open, it offers occasions for an infinite variety of strokes, while the few well-placed sand pits act as a restraining influence upon the ardor of the erratic player who, if he "slices" or "pulls' at random, is badly in need of just these holefuls of penalties to keep him unerringly to the straight and sure

Though La Boulie is but little used for social affairs, where golf is con-cerned it is most actively alive, for as the winters in Paris are comparatively mild, the game is played throughout the year, and, save during the months of July and August, monthly tournaments are held for both men and women. Many of the latter are, possibly, less strong in their strokes than are their competi-tors among the American and English women who, as a general rule, take their athletic training more or less as their prothers do, as an extravagantly impor-Nevertheless, the average Frenchman who aspires to golf at all plays a long and exceedingly brilliant game—a fortunate circumstance on this course, where from many tees the drives require a long, straight carry a long, straight carry.

### THE RENDEZVOUS OF ROYALTY

It is at La Boulie that the great in-ternational tournament is held for a cup which, for the last nine years, has been presented by Mr. J. Gordon Bennett.
Though players come from far and
near, it is a tournament which might
fulfil all requirements and yet be played among the members of the club itself, so varied are the nationalities there repre-sented. There are the Grand Duke and sented. There are the Grand Duke and Duchess Cyrille, Grand Duke Boris, and the Grand Duke Michel Micharlovitch of Russia, several Turkish princes, Italians Germans, Swedes, and English. Among the last named is the Prince of Wales, who, during his visit to Paris as guest of the marquis de Breteuil, spent a great part of his time playing over this course.

Among the American contingent we find the names of Mr. W. K. Vanderbilt and Mr. J. Gordon Bennett (both founders), Mr. Henry Frick, and Mr. Anthone, Control of the control founders), Mr. Anthony Drexel.

### EULES OF MEMBERSHIP

The nationalities of the members being thus varied, the rules for temporary membership decree that each applicant shall be seconded by two permanent members of his own country. This rule, however, is not strictly adhered to, and membership for the week or the month is comparatively easy to acquire if one is a member of a golf club of any prominence in one's own country.



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search for better designs and attach-ments that have made up the history of the automobile. With the introduction of large tires, long wheelbases, flexible springs, and ten- and twelve-inch up-holstery, it might almost be said that the of motor-car luxury has been

### THE EVOLUTION OF THE FOOT-REST

The modern touring car, whether of the five- or seven-passenger variety, is provided with such ample space in the tonneau, between the rear seat and the back of the forward seat, that some kind of foot support is necessary in order to make the passengers feel secure when the machine is at high speed. These foot-rests are of many types, and com-bine the qualities of comfort and ornament to a pleasing degree. The sim-ple, brass rail against which the occupants of the tonneau braced their feet. has been greatly improved. Some of them are now made adjustable and col-lapsible so that they are adaptable to the requirements of any passenger. One of these foot-rests has a series of slots and holes which makes it easy to adjust the rest to suit any occupant of the tonneau. By tilting the rest forward and pushing it an inch or so sideways, it may be set in any slot desired.

On another type of rest the board is unusually broad to give ample foot support, and is pivoted at the middle of each end so that it can be turned about a horizontal axis to be adjusted to the a nortzontal axis to be adjusted to the position of the foot. On a long trip this affords opportunity for frequent restful changes of position, and will go far toward preventing that stiffness which often results from sitting for many hours in the same position.

On the assumption that the floor of the tonneau will often be desired for other purposes, such as the carrying of luggage and the like, many of these foot-rests are made to fold back flat on the floor against the forward part of the tonneau. In order to make the occupants of the tonneau feel doubly secure, many of the rests are provided with corrugated or rough treads that prevent the feet from slipping off when the car from slipping off when the car rounds a sudden turn.

### ROBE-RAILS AND THEIR USES

Another tonneau attachment that is a regular equipment of the majority of touring cars, and one which adds greatly to the comfort of the occupants, is the robe-rail attached to the back of the front seat. This is of ornamental brass or nickel, and forms a convenient place on which to hang the lap-robes, dusters,

HE old saying, "It's the little things that count," has never been better exemplified than in the attention to details and the for better designs and attachthat have made up the history of atomobile. With the introduction ge tires, long wheelbases, flexible is, and ten- and twelve-inch up- neau. With these requirements in mind, the robe-rail should be unobtrusive, and should not occupy unnecessary space when not in use. Also, it must be subtantial and rigidly secured in place so that it may be used as a rail or handle to assist a passenger to enter the ton-neau. With these requirements in mind, the designment of the time. Although ornamental, the robe-rail should be unobtrusive, and should not occupy unnecessary space when not in use. Also, it must be subtantial and rigidly secured in place so that it may be used as a rail or handle to assist a passenger to enter the ton-neau. With these requirements in mind, the robe-rail should be unobtrusive, and should not occupy unnecessary space when not in use. Also, it must be subtantial and rigidly secured in place so that it may be used as a rail or handle the robe-rail should not occupy unnecessary space when not in use. Also, it must be subtantial and rigidly secured in place so that it may be used as a rail or handle the robe-rail should not occupy unnecessary space when not in use. Also, it must be subtantial and rigidly secured in place so that it may be used as a rail or handle the robe-rail should not occupy unnecessary space when not in use. Also, it must be subtantial and rigidly secured in place so that it may be used as a rail or handle the robe-rail should not occupy unnecessary space when not in use. Also, it must be subtantial and rigidly secured in place so that it may be used as a rail or handle the robe-rail should not occupy unnecessary space when not in use. Also, it must be subtantial and rigidly secured in place so that it may be used as a rail or handle the robe-rail should be unobtrusive, and the robe-rail should be unobtrusive, and the robe-rai the designers of several cars have pro-vided the tonneau with a robe-rail that is supported at the ends by extra brackets which form convenient handles that will naturally be grasped by a pas-senger entering the tonneau. One type of this handle projects horizontally from the supporting brackets of the robe-rail, while in another design the handle ex-tends downward at right angles, and serves as an auxiliary brace. Coat-rails, of course, are designed so that there will be no sharp corner or projection which will be liable to catch in the garments of a person occupying the car.

In order to accommodate any number of robes or garments, and yet to occupy no more space than necessary when not in use, many of the robe-rails are hinged on their supports so that they may be on their supports so that they may be swung out when needed or folded back out of the way. On another type, the supporting rods of the rail telescope into their sockets so that the rail will lay flat along the back of the front seat when

### AN APPEAL TO WOMEN

Of all the many designs of motor car of all the many designs of motor car coat-rails, however, what is probably the most unique is that which is com-bined with a support for a neat, pol-ished mahogany cabinet. This cab-inet has a cover, hinged at the bottom, which lets down like a writing-desk lid and is supported like a shelf by a pair of slotted brass hore which extend from of slotted, brass bars which extend from the interior when the cover is opened. The interior of the cabinet discloses a mirror and room for various toilet articles, such as would appeal to the feminine occupant of the tonneau.

Although the majority of coat-rails are of the brass or nickel-bar type—either in the round or octagonal shape—there in the round or octagonal shape—there are certain departures from this practise to be found in the tonneaus of several of the leading cars. A brass link chain may be employed, or a braided leather cord may be suspended between the two supporting brackets at the ends.

One car has a flat, leather strap, each

end of which is passed through a ring on the support; the strap is then doubled back on itself and secured by a buckle of the conventional type. This admits of adjustment to accommodate almost any number of wraps and robes, and has been received with marked favor by the owners of the cars on which it is



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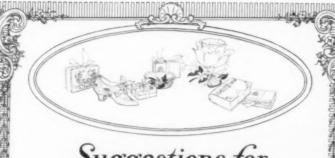


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vety blossoms.

A bouquet odor that is rather new with this French firm is a trifle heavier than the rose, but quite fascinating in its unusualness. Apple blossom, arbutus, forget-me-not, honeysuckle, heside several varieties of the rose and the violet—these are a few of their many delightful perfumes. They cost, per ounce bottle, 50 cents for double extract; 75 cents for triple; and \$1.25 for quadruple. The accompanying toilet waters in the three accompanying toilet waters in the three degrees of strength cost, per four-ounce bottle, 50 cents, 75 cents, and \$1.25. four-ounce

Their mission to perfume a room would never be guessed, for in appearance they are just charming little bibelots. One, that is filled with herbs and gums and spices from India, is made of wood in spaces from India, is made of wood in the shape of an oriental water jar, and painted in simple but not harsh colors by the natives of Cashmere. Four or five inches tall it stands, and it can be had for \$1.65.

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### WHAT THEY READ

We Turn from the Alien Shelves of the Old Library to Read Our Second-Rate New Fiction in Preference to All But the Best of the Old

worth reading," is a sentiment expressed frequently, sometimes in almost exactly these words, often in words of essentially equivalent significance. The opinion is critically sound, but if it is intended as a comparison between the books of today and those of earlier periods, and unfavorable to the former, it is a fallacy. Nothing is much harder than to assess with anything like critical accuracy the relative merits of new and old in literature. A college student's frank opinion, "Chaucer's punk," is a precious thing when rightly viewed, since so few of us have the courage to say what we think about masterpieces that come to us au-thenticated by the judgment of the ages. It is a nice question, indeed, that of how much gratified vanity at the sense of having conquered difficulties has to do with our enjoyment of foreign texts or of works in archaic English. Most of us, of course, rarely read anything more Most of than five years old, once we are released from the duty reading of school days. Even those of us who habitually read the great masters of our own tongue, from Chaucer onward, somewhat rarely read for pleasure's sake novels a century old except a famous few, the most brilliant works of very eminent hands. The sec-ond- and third-rate novels of the eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries have utterly vanished from the ken of most who love letters, and if read at all are read solely by specialists in literature and for purposes of study, not for distraction.

If, however, the novels of a period long before the time of living men and

women are hard to estimate in comparison with the newest things from the press, the novels that old or middle-aged persons read in youth or in early ma-turity should present much less difficulty in this regard, and almost any intelligent man or woman between fifty and seventy who has been a steady reader of the better kind of current fiction since, let us say, the sixties and seventies of the last century, will probably admit that current fiction below the second class is in alnost every respect better than most fiction of a corresponding class belonging to that earlier time. When we quarrel with the entertainment that the novelists of two continents now so lavishly pro-vide we instinctively compare the third-rate work of to-day with the first-rate work of the last generation or of the last two centuries.

The truth is that we should find very The truth is that we should find very hard reading the poorer kind of novels that we enjoyed thirty, forty, fifty years ago. Anyone who tries the experiment of re-reading a confessedly third-rate old novel that he once enjoyed will promptly discover how much worse novels of that class were in the days not so very far gone by than such novels are to-day. The generation of the Civil War period, when novels were relatively in number, was largely fed upon

OW few current novels are drivel, and much of it very ill-written worth reading," is a sentiment drivel. That is drivel. That is one reason why the term Mid-Victorian has become one of reproach as applied to matters of taste. As to the short story, it is almost a new mode of literature since that time

We are reading a great many very poor novels these days, more than ever before because more novels are printed than ever before, but there are few novels of the third class to-day that do not compare favorably with most of that class compare favorably with most of that class published half a century ago. There is a great deal of showy and pretentious writing nowadays, but there is far less slovenly writing in the fiction of this period than in that of any other, if we consider the relative number of novels published now and fifty, a hundred, and one hundred and fifty years ago. To chance upon a forgotten old novel in a musty garret and read a dozen of its musty garret and read a dozen of its stilted pages is to realize with sudden vividness the vast improvement that has come over fiction, both American and English. Of masterpieces we have fewer than in some periods of the past, but of good, workmanlike performances far more. Our writers of to-day have been lessoned by the brilliant fiction of contigood. nental Europe, by a sharper and saner criticism, by a larger critical public That very inferior novels continue to have wide popularity is to be set down to the fact that the actual reading pub-lic of to-day is vastly larger than that of alf a century ago, and that so large a public naturally includes a large number of readers who have not had the discipline of systematic education and wide acquaintance with masterpieces.

There is no better evidence of the improvement in the average fiction of the day as compared with that of earlier times than the fact that it does not pay to republish the second-rate novels of other times. There are hundreds of novels upon which the copyright has long expired, and which would be extempting to enterprising publishers to-day if there were any considerable demand for such works. Of famous old nove's we have new and cheap editions in many forms and at all sorts of prices, and some thousand copies of such are sold every year, but they do not compete with even the second-rate current novels such as appeal, not to the cheapest popular taste, but to the more sober and intelligent judgment of present-day readers. Some of the less recognized novels of earlier times, the little masterpieces, or semi-masterpieces, have been offered anew to the public, but with no great encouragement to the publishers. It can not be that all of these books are familiar to the mass of readers, and some such books are not so utterly old-fashioned in theme as to renel the new generation. They are rejected in large part because essentially better new novels are appearing every day. Nothing gives one an odder feeling of citizenship in a "Continued on page 80"



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### W H A T T H E Y R E A D

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Their very titles, so often romantic and sentimental, sometimes seem absurd, and they open in words that proclaim them hopelessly lost to the present generation No doubt most of us who reach old age outlive our own past, our own earlier tastes, and this fact accounts in part for the ephemeral character of fiction, but the quickly sympathetic readers prefer the new to all but the best of the old, because the new is better.

### EXAMPLES OF THE NEW FICTION

THE OPENING DOOR, by Justus MILES FORMAN, is a radical departure from most of the author's previous Here is no Zenda romance, no work. Here is no Zenda romance, no beautiful princess, no court intrigue. The heroine is an American girl, not even extraordinarily rich, although dowered with that wealth which, since Eve, women have prized most, unusual beauty. Left an orphan soon after her school days are over, she comes largely under the influence of her godmother, who has devoted her life and fortune to the cause of Suffrage. Hope, the hero-ine, goes on a long visit to her god-mother in New York. She falls under the influence of a young anarchist, whom she had encountered once or twice at her home in New Haven. Their meet-ings are more or less clandestine, because, although one of the many persons interested in the "Cause" who frequent her godmother's house, he is not high in that lady's favor, for some unexplained reason. He talks much about freedom. One feels sure that he italicizes it. Hope is deeply impressed. She decides, with the tolerance of youth, that her god-mother is unjust to this young man, simply because he is young and ardent. It is always the way with old people, she thinks. But although she is deeply in-terested, she is by no means in love with him-yet. Consequently, when, as she supposes, he proposes marriage, she is a little frightened and almost wholly displeased. Her godmother's secretary rather forces her confidence and at once rather forces her connected and at once solves all questions concerning the young anarchist in a rather drastic fashion. She takes her to call upon the young woman, the mother of his child, whom he has "basely abandoned." The reader feels that the young man hardly receives fair treatment. The woman admits that she had gone to housekeeping with him with the perfect understanding that neither was bound. The advocates of the sacred cause of freedom are naturalby jealous of their personal liberties.
Only, unfortunately, it was he who felt
the impulse of freedom first. One feels
that she is not "playing the game."

All this the young man sets forth with rude eloquence in an interview which he forces upon the girl. He "turns quite white with a wild and extraordinary fury" when he realizes that she thought he wanted to marry her. He confesses freely to having lived with many women. Some he has left, others have deserted him. What of it? They all understood that "being bound fast for life to any one person was degrading and intolerable." He tells her in accents of unmisone person was degrading and intolerable." He tells her in accents of unmistakable truth that he loves her, but, more forcible than polite, he adds that "he wouldn't marry her if it were the only way of preserving the world from damnation."

damnation."

Hope, temporarily out of sympathy with causes in general, goes abroad with friends, While at Trouville, she meets Roger Bacon whom, as a child, she had known in New Haven. She also meets Lady Evelyn Foster, "one of the best workers the Cause has got in all England." Upon her return to America our

changed world than to fall upon a library vacillating heroine asks her godmother of old novels and note their alien faces.

Their very titles, so often romantic and most unattractive lady who was "an exmost unattractive lady who was "an ex-cellent machine designed to convey information," she makes house-to-house canvasses among the poor, who seem most coy, when not hostile, to her and her message. She goes about a good deal, meeting Roger Bacon frequently. She does not feel that she has found her proper field. Finally the climat copes proper field. Finally the climax comes when she is smitten with stage fright when called upon to address a meeting. Thereupon she abandons Suffrage and marries Roger. The rest of her story is taken up with her efforts to convert Roger to the Cause. Certainly no one ever had a more stupendous task, nor more unpromising material to work with In the end she prevails, and she and her husband decide, and wisely, that their branch of work lies in giving attractive little dinners where "clever, ambitious, useful people meet each other and talk about good things-Woman Suffrage among them."

among them.

Mr. Forman may be less lukewarm toward the Cause than his novel would lead one to suppose. It may be that he considers that anything more than a superficial presentation of so great a question lies without the province of fiction. He certainly seems politicly bored. tion. He certainly seems politely bored with the whole affair. The godmother is easily the most sympathetic and real character in the story. Roger Bacon is an impossible prig. (New York: Har-per & Brothers; \$1.30 net.)

 $T^{
m HE}$  OLD ADAM, by Arnold Bennett, which first appeared under another name in "The American Magazine," other name in "The American Magazine, does not belong to the group of the author's serious works. It is like "Buried Alive," pure farce, always amusing and occasionally brilliant. It tells of the further adventure of that "card" of the Five Towns, Denry the Audacious, now forty-three, and known to his admiring townsmen as Alderman Machin. He has become rich: he has an income of five thousand pounds a year and is the proud owner of the most modern house in all the Five Towns, furnished with such unique contrivances as a pianisto, a vacuum cleaner, and gilded radiators. His fellow citizens look up to him because of these possessions and his un-shakable reputation as a "card." But that is not enough. His wife and three that is not enough. His wife and three children fail to be impressed by his suc-cesses; they take him for granted, and refuse to be surprised at him. He is unhappy; he longs to escape from that "close, enervating, domestic atmosphere, where he is misunderstood by women and disdained by infants. He wants and disdained by infants. He wants fresh air; he wants bars, whiskies, billiard-rooms, and the society of mascu-

A chance encounter with an American gives him his opportunity. He takes up a theatrical option in London and sallies forth from Bursley to show the capital how such things ought to be done. After many amusing adventures in learning the ways of Wilkins's, the first hotel in London, the provincial makes the acquaintance of Rose Euclid, a worn-out stage favorite; the seductive Elsie April; the poet, Carlo Trent, author of "The Orient Pearl"; and listens to meaningless discussions on the intellectual drama. Finally, in a spirit of bravado, by highes the Rogent Theater and is drama. Finally, in a spirit of bravauo, he builds the Regent Theatre and is wheedled into producing "The Orient Pearl," which proves to be a lamentable failure. But, true to his reputation as a Pearl," which proves to be failure. But, true to his reputation as a "card," he makes a flying trip to New York and concludes an arrangement which saves the day for both "The Orient Pearl" and the Regent Theatre. Then, his manhood vindicated, he returns to his home in Bursley, where his (Continued on page 82)

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### WHAT THEY READ

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oldest son, Robert, remarks disdainfully:

"Isn't father a funny man?"

The half-chapter on New York will be a great disappointment to American readers who hoped, in view of Mr. Ben-nett's recent visit to this country, to find some of his characteristic, subtle analysis of national traits. Beyond the holes in the pavement of Fifth Avenue, the astonishing speed of the hotel elevator, and the general use of the expression "getting the goods" on someone, the visit seems to have made little impression on Alderman Machin.

The book is written in rather a haphazard style, and has no higher aim than to furnish casual entertainment; in that it is eminently successful. (New York: eminently successful. George H. Doran Company; \$1.35 net.)

MICHAEL, by Mrs. Henry De La Pasture, is easily the most skil-ful and matured work that this talented author has given us. The story, in out-line, deals with the love of a young Catholic girl for an agnostic, whom she refuses to marry until he becomes con-verted. She is a devout and saintly charverted. She is a devout and saintly character, while he, equally honest in his doubts, is too sincere to pretend to a faith which he can not feel. He studies seriously and honestly with various fathers of the church, learned in doctrine; he even leaves the world for a time and buries himself in a monastery. But whether it is because his preceptors have been too long out of touch with the world to be truly a morathetic or heaven'd the serious manufacture. world to be truly : mpathetic, or be-cause his doubts are too deeply ingrained he remains unconvinced. One of his spiritual advisers remarks that, "Nothing short of a miracle will ever open his eyes to things heavenly." The miracle oc-curs, a flesh-and-blood miracle, to be sure, but it is sufficient to remove his

sure, but it is sufficient to remove his doubts; not, however, until after the untimely death of the girl he loved.

The Boer War comes on—what would the English novelist of the day do without the Boer War? It occupies the same large place in contemporaneous English fiction that our Civil War did with us a generating are and our here devets a generation ago—and our hero devotes a part of his great wealth to equipping a regiment. The story ends with the sug-

gestion of a satisfactory dénouement.

A tale in which religion plays prominent a part might easily become wearisome, as a certain amount of con-troversial doctrine is necessary, not only create the requisite atmosphere; but the author's tact and craftsmanship are so sure that she succeeds in holding the

There are a number of characters, of which Edith is, perhaps, the most sympathetic. Winefrede, while an appealing thetic. Winefrede, while an appealing figure, is a little too ethereal, a little too remote from this work-a-day world to seem quite real. The women are better than the men. (New York: E. P. Dut-ton & Co.; \$1.35 net.)

OUT OF THE ASHES, by ETHEL OWATTS MUMFORD, which first appeared in serial form under the title of "The Same Road," displays all the "The Same Road," displays all the cleverness which is characteristic of her work. A cynic once observed that: "A man of the world was one who knew better and did worse." We feel this better and did worse." We feel this strongly of this author. Possessed as she is of a facile pen, a power of quick and graphic description, and undeniable wit, why has she not given us something far better than she has ever done far better than she has ever done? Chapter eight, for example, is admirably dramatic, tense, and true. But alas! a chain is only as strong as its weakest link; there are many chapters which fall below the mark of this one. The book should close with chapter sixteen, for the three last chapters are weak and inthe three last chapters are weak and in-

The author has, before now, displayed a sound knowledge of other arts than her own. In this volume she permits herself to become a trifle hysterical in depicting the emotions aroused by a Van Dyke portrait. We are certain that no Van Dyke ever aroused in her the emotions that her hero is said to have felt. Moffat, Yard & Co.;

### AUTOBIOGRAPHY

ALL THE DAYS OF MY LIFE, by AMELIA E. BARR, would be a most unusual book from a woman at any time of life, but coming as it does from the pen of a woman over eighty, it is truly a remarkable work. Few works of fiction can boast such a variety of contrast scene and incident as this full and frank record of a long and active life. From the West Riding, in Yorkshire, Scotland, and the Isle of Man in the Old World, to Canada, Buffalo, Chicago, Memphis, New Orleans, Galveston, and, finally, New York in the New World, is

Mrs. Barr "entered this incarnation. to employ her quaint phrase, March 29, 1831. Her family name was Huddles-ton, and her father was a Methodist ton, and her father was a Methodist clergyman. Her "recollections of her childhood" are unusually vivid and in-teresting, since she seemed to have developed uncommon powers of observation unusually early. At the age of fifteen she was teaching school, and at nineteen she married Robert Barr, a prosperous woolen merchant, who, three years later, met with heavy financial reverses. It was to make a new fortune that he came

The description of the South of the fifties is vividly written. Mrs. Barr had the life-long habit of keeping a diary, and it is from its pages that she draws much of her material. However, her comments upon the events of her early fife are as vigorous as if they had been made at the time, and to them she has added the value of her mature experience. This portion of the book dealing with ante-bellum days will appeal very strongly to many readers. strongly to many readers.

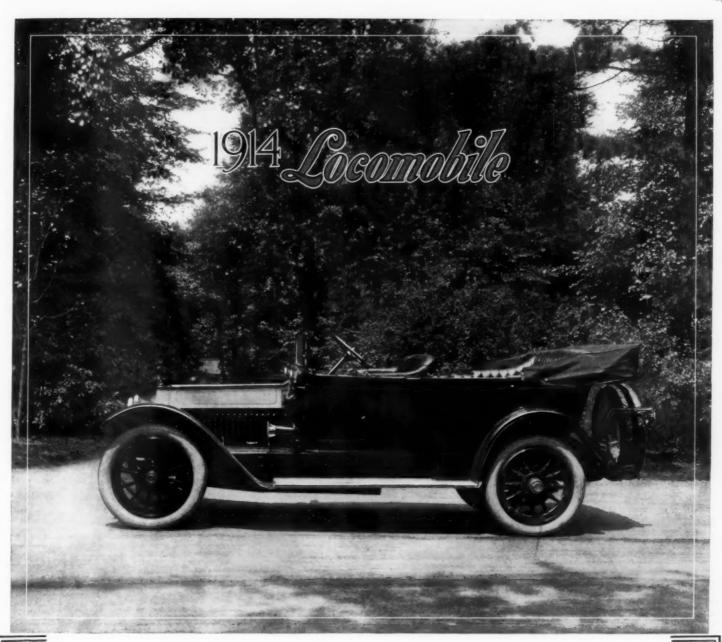
After the War, the Barr family was broken up by the death of Mr. Barr and his three sons, and on Thanksgiving Day, 1868, the widowed Mrs. Barr and her three daughters landed in New York. It was through Mr. William Libby that she first got her start in literary work. For nearly fifteen years she wrote a weekly poem for Mr. Bonner. Through Mr. Beecher, whom she had met in Glasgow years before, she got in touch with the "Christian Union."

The family took unfurnished rooms on Amity Street. "I was told that Poe had occupied them, but I did not know anything about Poe in those days," confesses

Mrs. Barr naïvely.

Sixteen years later, in 1884, Dodd,
Mead and Company bought "Jan Vedder's Wife," Mrs. Barr's first novel. As
a sample of her industry and activity, let

a sample of her industry and activity, let us take a typical month from her diary. "April 1, wrote 'An April Wedding' and worked on 'Cluny.' 2. Still sick, but worked on 'Cluny.' and wrote 'The Reconciliation.' 3. All day on 'Cluny'; in the evening wrote 'Lending a Hand.' 4. All day on 'Cluny.' 5. All day on 'Cluny,' but am feeling tired. 6, 7. On Cluny,' very tired. A west Cluny, but am teeling tired. 6, 7. On 'Cluny,' very tired. A wet day, and Peter Cooper's funeral. 8. On 'Cluny,' and wrote a poem called 'O Mollie. How I Love You!' 9. On my novel eight hours. 10. On my novel eight hours. 11. On my novel eight hours. 12. On my novel eight hours, and wrote Two Ships.' 13. On my novel nine hours. 14. On my novel eight hours. 15, 16, 17. Nine hours each. 18. Very (Continued on page 84)



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### W H A T T H E Y READ

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sick. 19. Wrote 'My Pretty Canary' and 'The Little Evangel.' 20. Wrote nine hours on 'Cluny.' 21-28. All day long on 'Cluny,' but managed to write for 'Harper's' a poem called 'A Tap at the Door.' 29. On 'Cluny,' and wrote for Bonner a poem called 'Take Care.' 30. Wrote 'A Birthday,' finished 'Cluny' and took it to Mr. Rand, of the Tract House."

It is, perhaps, her spiritual experience which marks Mrs. Barr's life out from that of 'her noteworthy writers. She believes firmly in "angelic and demoniac agencies," in reincarnation—one gleans a passing amusement from the fact that reincarnation of Peter Stuyvesant-an interpretation by dreams and omens of an unseen world which lies very close to an unseen world which hes very close to us and strongly influences our mundane destinics. All through her life she has been strongly influenced by dreams. When a young girl, living with her friend, Mrs. Semple, she related a peculiarly vivid dream she had had the night before. "I dreamed of going into a large warehouse, full to the roof of bundles of gray and white wool. Many men of gray and white wool. Many men were at desks writing, but no one spoke, and I walked forward until I came to a door covered with green baize, and pushed it open. Then a young man who sat writing at a handsome desk turned and looked at me, saying in a pleasant, authoritative way: 'Come in, Milly. I have been waiting for you.' The dream

passed away as he spoke."

A few days later Amelia and Mrs. Semple had occasion to visit a warehouse in Virginia Street, and this is what happened:

"He (the porter) led us through a long room piled to the ceiling with bundles of wool, and through a green baize door into a handsome office, where the young man of my dream sat writing. He turned as we entered, and Mrs. Sem-ple said: 'Well, Robert, how's a' with ple said: you? Fo you?' For a moment he did not answer. He was looking at me—perhaps expect-ing an introduction, but his smiling face appeared to be saying just the words I heard him say in my sleep: 'Come in, heard him say in my sleep: 'Come in, Milly. I have been waiting for you.' It was a pleasant call, a fateful call, for I knew I had met the man whose fate—good or bad—I must share.'

The "Robert" was, of course, Mr. Barr. After their marriage, at the time when the question of emigrating to seek their fortunes arose, there was a question as to whether they should select India or America. Again a dream influenced

America, Ag their destinies,

One night—we had swiveled a great deal between New York and Calcutta as points of landing, Robert having had that day a letter from Andrew Blair, an old school friend who was doing well in Delhi-I went to sleep thinking that the children would require nothing in the way of an outfit but some white muslin, Then I dreamed a dream, and when I awakened from it I said softly: 'Are you sleeping, Robert?' And he answered at once: 'No. I heard you cry out in your sleep, and I was going to speak to you if you cried again. frightened you?"

"I thought we were in Calcutta and we stood alone on a silent street, know-ing not where to go. The sky was black as pitch, the air hot and heavy, and red as blood, and a great cry, like a woman's as mood, and a great cry, the a woman's cry, rang through it, and seemed to be taken up by the whole earth. Then a voice at my side said, "Look!" and I saw that Calcutta was built entirely of great blocks of coal and that in the center of each block there was a fierce fire burning. I must then have cried out and awakened myself."

out and awakened myself."
"For a few moments Robert did not speak, then he said in a hushed voice: 'We can not go to India. Blair told me in his letter that the whole country was

restless and the army mutinous, and that he felt a little uneasy. But that is such an old complaint I did not heed it and did not think it wise to trouble your decision by just a say-so!" " Another vision which came before the

sailing away is thus described:
"During the whole three weeks of preparation I was singularly prescient, both by day and night, but only once did I mention this condition to Robert. I had lain down on my bed in the afterweary with thought and feeling.

Then I noon, weary with thought and feeling, and had fallen fast asleep. Then I heard a commotion in the house, the moving of furniture, the voices of men calling to each other and, above all, I heard one strident voice of command, accompanied by a kind of stamp on the floor. Presently my room door was opened, and a remarkable man entered. He was tall and rather stout, his face was large and white, his dress clerical, his whole manner intensely authoritative. He walked around my room and stood a moment and looked at me. It was an inquisitive look, quite without interest or kindness. Then he began to give orders, and I awoke.
"To Robert I said that night: 'I saw

your father this afternoon, and I described the man who was directing the lar stress upon the stamp in his walk.

Robert looked at me with amazement, and then told me that the peculiarity in the walk was caused by his father having a false leg. 'He received an injury to his knee while playing golf,' he said, 'and his walk with an artificial limb was

'and his walk with an artificial limb was of the character you observed. But I never told you of it.'"

When Mrs. Barr was first taken to the Astor Library, she "recognized it as the city of books with the pleasant alcoves and long spiral stairs of wrought iron which she had seen in a dream while living in Penrith, a child of seven or eight."

Whether, in this material age, many will respect these frank transcriptions is a question. But as to Mrs. Barr's own sincerity there can be no doubt. In all her fiction Mrs. Barr never presented us with so fine a character as she has, perhaps unconsciously, done in her autobiography. A full life, an interesting life, bravely lived. (New York: D. Appleton & Co.; \$3.50 net.)

### BOOKS RECEIVED

"Toya, the Unlike," by Eleanor Mer-cein Kelly; Small, Maynard & Co., \$1 net, postage 10 cents. "Unpath'd Waters," by Frank Har-

ris; Mitchell Kennerley, \$1.25 net.
"The Country Church," by C. O. Gill
and Gifford Pinchot; The Macmillan

Company, Sl.25 net.

"A Scout of To-Day," by Isabel Hornibrook; Houghton Mifflin Company, \$1 net.

pany, \$1 net.

'Commercialized Prostitution in New York City," by George J. Kneeland; The Century Company, \$1.30 net.

"Through Our Unknown Southwest," by Agnes C. Laut; McBride, Nast & Co., \$2 net.

Co., 82 net.

"Sleep and the Sleepless," by Joseph Collins, M.D.; Sturgis and Walton Company, 81 net, postage 8 cents.

"The New Housekeeping Efficiency Studies in Home Management," by Christine Frederick; Doubleday, Page & Co., \$1 net.

"The Different West," by Arthur E. Bostwick; A. C. McClurg & Co., \$1 net.

"The New Pacific," by Hubert Howe Bancroft; The Bancroft Company, \$2 net.

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"Old Houses in Holland," by Sydney
R. Jones, edited by Charles Holmer
John Lane Company, paper, \$2.50 net
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### UPON THE TABLE

The "butler's assistant," pictured at the bottom of this page, occupied the cen-ter of the large table and held in its several compartments potatoes roasted their skins, hot rolls or muffins, whole to-matoes, and cold, stuffed eggs. This rematoes, and cold, stuffed eggs. This receptacle was flanked by four dishes containing each, pickled pears, pickled
peaches, sweet mangoes, and chutney,
and at the corners were four engraved
decanters, two filled with brandy and
two with whiskey. Two tall dishes of butter balls heaped on ice were set at opposite sides, and elsewhere were found three boats holding respectively mayonthree boats holding respectively mayon-naise, French dressing with chives, and mint sauce. Immediately beside the large table stood a narrow carving-table, upon which were placed a ring or "crown" of cold lamb chops, a cold, baked, sugared ham, sliced fine, four cold chickens on a platter, a cold chicken pie, and a large bowl of salad (a macédoine, for instance, which is always a satisfy-ing addition to cold meat). A pile of plates stood beside each platter, with knives, forks, and napkins at one end. knives, forks, and napkins at one end.

### A FOUR-COURSE LUNCH

Two big fruit tarts, each with its bowl of thick cream beside it, stood on the center table, and at one end was placed a great cold salmon with a gravy boat of thick, green sauce. These two dishes

formed the backbone of the lunch, for what might appear a melée of food quickly resolved itself into but four courses: a plat of hot, creamed eggs from off the bubbling alcohol stove set at the end opposite to the fish, the salmon with its saves a choice of sold mon with its sauce, a choice of cold meat with a hot potato and the vegetable salad, and lastly a luscious slice of peach tart all smothered with that wonderful clotted cream that comes from Devonshire.

### SERVING ONESELF

Such a lunch may seem elaborate, yet ith but two servants, twenty, even with but two servants, twenty, even thirty, people can be accommodated, for it is the proper thing to serve oneself. The sole duties of the servants—at this house a butler and two footmen—consisted in taking away plates that had been used, in bringing glasses, serving tea from a side table, and replenishing the drinking water. Then they retired. tactful minimum of service is makes a hunt breakfast so delightfully informal. Everyone moves about choos-ing just what he or she wants. At the end cigars, cigarettes, liqueurs, and coffee are usually served out in the garden, though many hostesses prefer not to put this period to an enjoyable meal, and so serve these things in the dining-room.

### AIDS IN THE MAKING

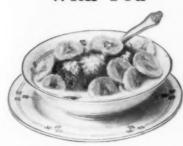
To make the green sauce for the cold boiled salmon there is added to each pint of thick mayonnaise one-third of a pint of herb juice which is prepared s: one ounce each of parsley, cher-tarragon, chives, sorrel leaves, and fresh pimpernel, two ounces of watercress, and two ounces of spinach. these ingredients into a copper bowl of boiling, salted water and boil for two minutes, then drain the herbs in a fine sieve and stir the purée into the mayon-Keep on ice until it is ready to serve.

A good recipe for a macédoine salad is as follows: cook separately and un-til tender, peas, flageolets, string-beans. til tender, peas, flageolets, string-peans, cauliflower flowerets, beets, celery root, asparagus tips, and carrots. Cut fine, cool, and mix lightly with French dressing or mayonnaise and serve on lettuce leaves. If the mayonnaise is used, marinate first in French dressing. This inate first in French dressing. This salad may also be served as the border around a mold of aspic.



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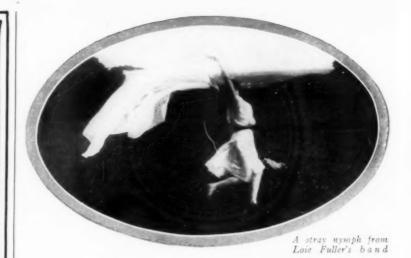
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a flight of stone steps, is a curiously sequestered block of modern apartments with distractingly similar stone façades. They are bright, airy, and comfortable, and from the win-dows one looks down over the gardened stretch of the Trocadéro and beyond to e great Eifel tower, described by E. Lucas as "straddling over Paris." V. Lucas as "straddling over Paris." A situation unsurpassed in Paris this, and small wonder that it is here Miss Fuller, the dancer—"La Loie" as she is called by the French among whom she has lived intermittently for twenty years—has chosen to abide.

As an American I entered her apart-

as an American 1 entered her apart-ment with the greatest amount of frank-ly confessed curiosity; for of all the dancers of the present century, there is none more distinctly a product of our soil and of our temperament. Loie Ful-ler may almost be called the prophetess of the modern cult of dancing, for since she first made her debut over twenty years ago, interest in the terpsichorean art has developed with amazing rapidity.

### LOIE FULLER RECALLS

As I waited patiently in the typically French salon—for what star but requires a waiting?—I turned over in my mind what I had heard and seen of the dancer, what I had heard and seen of the dancer, when suddenly my train of thought was interrupted by the entrance of a short, rosy-faced person with the bluest of blue cyes, and the whitest of white teeth, and upon whose sensitive lips rippled a de-lightfully contagious smile. Miss Fuller, of course. After the first conventional preliminaries, I induced her to talk a little of her remarkable career which began as a wee mite of a girl in the Academy of Music in Chicago. "I used to recite," she said, "and I used to sing, and for a little while I thought that I could act"; in other words, like many another genius, it was not until after many another genius in the state of the s

other genius, it was not until after many essays and many failures that she at last found herself and her remarkable gift.

It was in the Bijou Theatre in New York, in a play called "The Mascot," that she appeared for the first time in a regulation ballet dance. "I had never had a dancing lesson in my life and yet I was expected to pirouette on my toes like an infant Carmencita. I was a failure, and the public told me so."
"But when," I asked, "did you really find your dance, and method of expression?"

You mean," she said, "when did the dance find me; for, do you know, the night I appeared before the public, and created the 'serpentine' dance I did not know that I was doing it. How could I," she added, "for if I had known that

N Paris, away up on the tip-top I was to do it, it would not have been of a high eminence reached by creating, would it?"

### THE PRINCIPLES OF HER SCHOOL

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"Sentiment, imagination, expression—that is my art. And all these emotions must be expressed with the fewest gestures possible, for the strongest sentiments, the deepest sorrows, are betrayed without gesture, without words. To be able to express—that is my sole aim. No able to express—that is my sole aim. No system—just intuition and instinct, which have been made to bloom like the flowers in the full light of the sun." In accordance with these theories we find the cordance with these theories we find the children of the school choosing for them-selves subjects from nature and from fairy tales, giving life to the flowers, in-terpreting the motions of the birds, the whispering of the winds, impersonating the brooks and springs.

### LIGHTING HER DANCES

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young woman with an abso-lutely characterless face. The chin re-ceded, the mouth, rather wide, was set in loose, uncertain lines, the shoulders were stooped, and the hands and feet were stooped, and the hands and feet showed prominently. The thin hair was strained tightly back from the forehead, that is, all of it which had not been burned short by a curling iron. The gown did not at all belong to the figure which it covered. Altogether, it was the photograph of a woman apparently foredoomed to be a failure and a wall-flower all her days. Yet, a well-groomed, fascinating matron, socially successful and the wife of a prominent man, had just said: "This is my picture taken ten years ago."

### AN ANALYSIS OF CHARM

"When I realized how unattractive I was," she explained, "which I did from a conversation unwittingly overheard, I came very near letting go and resigning myself to be a mere background for those more gifted than I. And then, little by little, it was borne in upon me that we are what we want most to be. I realized this, first of all, by watching for one whole evening the belle of our particular social 'set.' She was the center one whole evening the belle of our par-ticular social 'set.' She was the center of an admiring group, both of men and women. Analyzed closely, she had not a single regular feature or any particular talent. She was charming, with a sweet, wholesome manner, and a low musical voice. But I remembered her as an awkward, rather disagreeable child in her school days. Clearly, as she was not born with this pleasing personality, she must have cultivated it. Then and there I resolved to do likewise

### THE PRACTISE OF WILL POWER

"I knew cosmetics had very little to do with real beauty. Certain, self-deluded women with doubtful complexions, and hair even more open to criticism than mine, showed me that. Clearly it was a question of will power, of mental attitude of common sense. tude, of common sense.

"First, my complexion—it was very bad. I began to avoid all foods of a greasy or rich nature. I decreased my allowance of sweets, doubled that of fruit, and kept my system under a rigorous watch that I might suffer from no irregularities. With all the waste eliminated from my digestive system and no food admitted that was not beneficial and easy to assimilate, I began to notice a change in my appearance. My skin a change in my appearance. My skin not only lost its bilious look, but my eyes became brighter and, since the puffy look My skin of my face also disappeared, they seemed

"I had never cared before how I fixed my hair, as I thought plain ways suited a plain face. Now, encouraged by the change for the better in my appearance, I began to brush my hair every night and to practise a massage movement of

TES, it is unrecognizable. It was taken ten years ago."

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"My mouth was large and rather loose-lipped, but I learned to hold it firmly, and, because it was my homeliest feature, I kept my teeth unusually well brushed and cared for. Certain gold fillings which attracted attention I had taken out and white porcelain ones substituted.

### THE FRUITS OF DETERMINATION

"As the determination to improve my looks grew I noticed a change for the better in all my features; they seemed to grow firmer and my chin, which I no longer allowed to drop weakly, took on a

"I began to interest myself in out-ofdoor games. I played tennis and learned how to swim. During the winter I frehow to swim. During the winter I frequented the gymnasium instead of the tea-rooms. My back straightened, and I found that I had to have a new corset; one large in the waist, and flatter in the hips and abdomen. I took off my high collars. My neck looked very scrawny for a while but soon, to my surprise, the skin grew whiter and firmer, and one day in attempting to put on an old collar I in attempting to put on an old collar I found that it was an inch too small.

"About this time I discarded my dressmaker, who had been wont to cover me with 'fancy work' in order to make her with 'fancy work' in order to make her gowns more expensive. Studying myself long and critically before the mirror, I decided which were good lines for me and which were not. Since then I have never allowed myself to be tempted into wearing the latter and have clung to the former, with variations, of course, to suit the prevailing fashions. Soon after I adopted this custom I had the reputation of being a well-dressed woman.

of being a well-dressed woman.
"To acquire grace, I pinned to my
dressing-room walls sketches and pictures which appealed to me, from the point of view of line and pose. I tried to imitate these before the long mirror and, in the endeavor I soon gained a certain grace, and learned to make my hands and feet appear less prominent.

"Although not able to carry a tune in my head I took singing lessons, in order my head I took singing lessons, in order to gain control over my speaking voice. Finally, I set myself to acquire ease in conversation; I read the best books, and went to the best concerts and art galleries. With my mind full of beautiful thoughts, it became natural to speak them, and, in giving them to others, I forgot my own awkwardness until, without my knowledge, it ceased to be, and I found myself gradually changing to an found myself gradually changing to an altogether different personality.



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low in the front and was filled in across arm rather than hangs from it. This the V with plaitings of white tulle. The model should be possible for home copyselvage of the chiffon was used as a fining, even though its effective simplicity ish over the shoulders. There was no is the work of a great Paris house. attempt to make the waist of the dress as sheer as in a more elaborate evening gown, the taffeta formed the entire bodice The sleeves, which ended above the ellow, were also of the taffeta. The skirt was simply draped and caught at the side with a bead ornament in dull green and opalescent colorings. Where the fichu met at the front was a cluster of little, cherry-colored, satin berries with green leaves. With this dress were worn slippers and stockings to match the taffeta

### TRANSFORMING WITH BLACK NET

Wonders can be worked by doing over old frocks with black net draperies. The bodice of an old satin foundation can be treated to a simple fichu of the net with a hanging angel sleeve, and the skirt hung with straight lengths gathered in slightly under the belt, with an opening at the middle-front that slants off toward the back. At the hem of the gown the net is laid with some fulness around the skirt. A charming French gown in which this idea was elaborated in many ways had a foundation of changeable mauve and yellow silk with mauve net as a covering, and a cluster of wistaria on the long train to catch down some of the drapery. Yellow satin with a black covering and a simple rhinestone trimming is also good.

### A SEPTEMBER FROCK

A useful all-around frock for warm September days is made from one of the new figured crêpes, the background of is dark blue with a close-set, oroken figure in purples and blacks. skirt is simply draped to the left side, and the sash is made of black moire ribbon. The bodice opens at the front, surplice fashion, and is filled in with black net, over which are turned tiny revers of cream batiste embroidery with a square collar of the same at the back. The sleeves reach to the elbow with no easily soiled white ruffle to finish them, but with quite deep, straight frills of black net with a picot edge. This is a gown that would come in well for a hundred occasions, and in which one would certainly always feel smartly

### THE SUIT WAIST

A French suit of sand-colored drap de nymphe, a material similar in weight and finish to a fine broadcloth, has a distinguished little blouse to go with it. It is made over a China silk lining, with two layers of chiffon to match the suit. The only trimming is some imita-tion Valenciennes lace, dipped to the tint of tea and combined with fine cream net. The chiffon opens at the neck in a shallow V, inside which there is a high col-lar and tiny vest of net. Outlining the opening there is a second collar of the opening there is a second collar of the Valenciennes, with points toward the front and a soft, loose roll against the back of the neck. At the middle-front there is a flat, clerical jabot of lace and net. The sleeves have an under part of lace that runs to the elbow, with a graceful despense of chiffen that swathes the ful drapery of chiffon that swathes the

### THE NEW FRILLING

Another distinctive trimming for a Another distinctive trimming for a chiffon waist is of plaited net lace, not the kind of plaiting which stands out in frills, but a plaiting so fine that it gives to the lace just a rippled effect. This lace, which has a very simple mesh with scarcely any pattern, a straight edge, and is as thin as point d'esprit, is much more charming for the warm weather that is still with us than an elaborate pattern would be.

that is still with us than an elaborate pattern would be.

One waist in particular, which is trimmed with this lace, would be worth copying, and it is within the compass of even mediocre skill. It is of dark blue chiffon over self-toned China silk, and should be worn with a blue suit. The should be worn with a blue suit. The silk lining extends only to the yoke, which is of transparent chiffon. The full-length sleeve of blue chiffon is put in with a cording. The body of the waist is perfectly plain without a tuck or a plait. Just a little toward the left side of the front is an opening in the chiffon which extends from collar to belt and is finished with the cording on either side. This opening is filled in with a yest of This opening is filled in with a vest of white cotton net put in quite full. A frill of the lace drops from the vest midway down to the waist-line, and a flat collar finishes the blouse at the throat.

### POINTS WORTH KNOWING

There is an excellent crêpe ruffling with which to finish the necks of gowns this season. It is made of a light-weight, white crêpe finished with a selvage, and is by far the softest, prettiest thing that we have hitherto had in ruffling. It comes in several widths (that which measures about four inches is a good one), and the price is about \$1.25 a yard. It falls back from the throat very softly, and is appropriate for gowns of various materials-serge, silk, muslin, or

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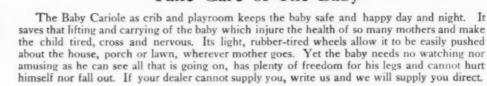
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less men and women of the clubs and apartment houses sometimes seem to escape it altogether. There are social anarchists, mostly among this latter class, who urge the right and duty of the individual to live for himself alone, who welcome the destruction of the family as a step in human emancipation. On the contrary, there are not a few in-dividuals who would be horrified were they accused even of sympathizing with household, such ideals, no matter how extremely un-comfortable they are themselves in family life.

### THE BACHELOR OR SPINSTER HOUSEHOLD

A bachelor or spinster household usually aims at compassing a home with all the comforts of a club and none of the responsibilities of a family. Such a community arrangement is better for the discipline of the individual than is the entire irresponsibility of lodgings, since it is impossible for men or women to live together without the exercise of mutual tact and forbearance which yields a valuable discipline. Such a household may be a good or an ill preparation for marriage in the degree that it requires or ignores these disciplinary qualities.

### A CIVILIZING AGENCY

As a controlling and civilizing agency, As a controlling and civilizing agency, however, the family is more effective, and it would be a stretch of courtesy and of language to call a bachelor or spinster household a family. Even a newly marketic of the court of the household a family. Even a newly r ried couple, definitely established housekeeping, must be regarded at best as an embryonic family. True family life can not be denied to the household consisting of father, mother, and babe, yet such a trio is still not a fully developed family. Indeed, even the home which shelters a married couple and their progeny from early infancy to budding manhood and womanhood lacks one thing to guarantee the full discipline of domestic life—the presence of old age. A family may be said to have reached its highest stage only when there gather about the board the representatives of at least three generations. It is in such families that the discipline of domestic life is seen at its best and noblest.

### INFANCY AND INNOCENCE

Infancy has so much charm in its helplessness and innocence, that the dis-cipline its presence imposes upon the family carries an immediate and exceedingly great reward. He must be a hard-ened bachelor, indeed, who can live six months under the same roof with a well-

S OME find the discipline of life managed baby and remain proof against in the cloister, most of us find it at the hearth, and the homeit at the hearth, and the homeit its charms. For the most part, however, the bachelor of a household escapes in a large part the discipline imposed by the presence of infancy, except as his sleep may be disturbed by its early habits, or his meals be made less orderly by reason of its thoughtless importunities. The disciplinary value of the strictly nurserygrown infant, of course, is reduced to a minimum, but in most American families of moderate means the influence of childhood is felt by every member of the

### THE LESSON OF PATIENCE

The lesson of patience afforded to the adult by the imperious demands of less infancy, the tireless activities of childhood, and the thoughtless egotism of irresponsible and irrepressible adoles-cence, has a value too often unappre-ciated. The wise adult will not shirk in the discipline thus provided, and the teachable person of mature, even venerable, age, may find that the adventurous joy of youth, if sympathetically observed, will destroy that mysterious something which so often rises as an impenetrable wall between one generation and its immediate successor. There is a signifi-cant antinomy between the maxim, "Children should be seen and not heard," and the text which acknowledges the wisdom proceeding from "the mouths of babes and sucklings."

### THE INFLUENCE OF AGE

Old age no less than infancy has something precious to offer to every rational member of a household. The presence of an aged person adds the crowning charm and the final enlightening and sweetening discipline to family life. In-deed, a household is hardly complete without the serene and hushing presence without the serene and hushing presence of the man or woman for whom the haste and conflict, the vanity and dis-play, the passion and the competition of human life are past. In the infirmities of the senses, or even the mind, such as accompany old age, lies a discipline of patience, tact, consideration, and tender-ness which even helpless infancy does not quite so effectively impose upon the not quite so effectively impose upon the robust adult, and which is of priceless value in shaping the manners and character of children. Happy the man or woman who can look back to a home where the prattle of infancy, the thought-less noise of boyhood, the eager enthu-siasm of youth, the helpful strength of maturity, and the harvested wisdom and tolerance of old age combined to produce a disciplinary influence which fits for the tasks and responsibilities of the larger world outside. E. N. VALLANDIGHAM.



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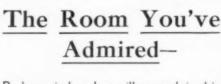
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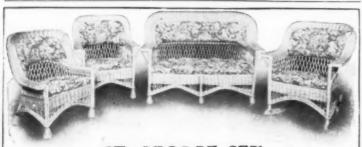
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A service for afternoon tea which offers especially good value is the one of seven-morning coffee.

used for chocolate as well as for the morning coffee.

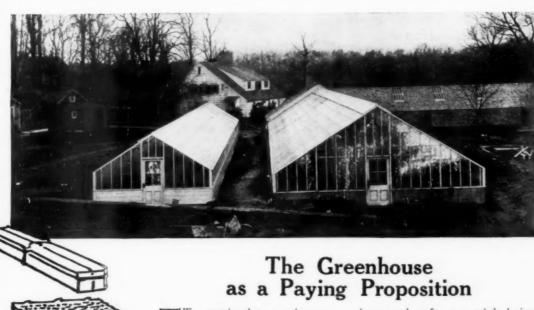
The electric bedside lamp shown on this page is unusually attractive. The base is of Verde-green bronze, and the shade is of green-tinted Aurene glass. The lamp casts a splendid light, and stands nine and one-half inches high. It is accompanied by a specket plug and a is accompanied by a socket plug and a

A bridge set consisting of two packs

especially good value is the one of seven-teen pieces shown above. It is of white and gold Haviland china, and includes a

and gold Haviland china, and includes a hot-water pitcher, and waste-bowl.

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direct or indirect.

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### FIRST A SHAMPOO, THEN A TONIC

In applying tonics to the scalp the hair should be parted in strands and the tonic applied directly to the head with a piece absorbent cotton. After this the ends of the hair should be vigorously shaken in order to send a quick current of air through it. This is a tedious process but after a month, at most, it should not be necessary to repeat it more than once week. The head and hair should kept absolutely clean; if the hair is in-clined to be lifeless and thin it should be shampooed once a month only, and twice a month if it is damp and oily. Care must be taken to select the sham-Care must be taken to select the sham-poo which is best adapted to a particular need. If nothing else is at hand use pure, white castile soap, shaved and melted. Rub the shampoo liquid well into the roots of the hair and rinse in several waters. If there is an excess of dandruff, or crusts on the scalp, they should be removed by a wash of equal parts of tincture of green soap and pure alcohol, rubbed thoroughly into the and rinsed in alternating sprays of hot and cold water. If the scalp is sensitive and at the same time full of dandruff, the wash described will be too strong. The yolk of an egg beaten up with ten drops of oil of rosemary, or the yolks of two eggs and a half pint of lime water should be substituted.

### A PARISIAN FORMULA

Tar soap shampoo has been used with great success for dark hair, but this, of course, is not to be used on light brown or blond hair as it will tend to darken it.
To make this shampoo the best quality of tar soap should be shaved down and melted. The water in which the soap is dissolved should not boil, but simmer gently until the soap is liquefied. liquid should be applied to the hair and scalp with vigorous friction. When the soap has been completely rinsed from the head, the hair should be dried by a brisk rubbing with hot towels.

One of the most luxurious of sham-poos, which has been adopted in Paris liable chemist.

Borax 1	ounce
Bicarbonate of soda. 1/2	ounce
Camphor	dram
Glycerine	ounce
·Rose water 1	quart
Alcohol 2	ounces

Dissolve the camphor in the alcohol, then add the liquid so obtained to the other ingredients which have been previously mixed.

### A TONIC FOR BALDNESS

The following formula applies to all cases where baldness begins to show it-self without apparent cause. The scalp should be rubbed night and morning with a quantity of the composition the size of a pea:

White	vase	lin	e	0		0		.40	grams
Castor	oil			,				.20	grams
Gallic	acid							. 3	grams
Essenc	e of	la	VE	n	d	le	ľ	.10	drops

This is a tonic preparation, and one of the best. It is easier to have it put up by a reliable druggist than to make the attempt oneself.

One of the most thoroughly satisfying tonics for oily hair, to be applied to the roots of the hair once or twice a day, is the following:

Cologne 8	ounces
Tincture of canthar-	
ides 1	
Oil of rosemary 1/2	dram
Oil of English laven-	
der	dram

### A TONIC FOR SOGGY HAIR

Nothing is more unpleasant than soggy hair that clings to the forehead and parts in strands, refusing to look dressed no matter with what pains it is arranged. For this condition the follow-ing lotion is excellent, and if used daily it tends to produce a crispy condition and an auburn shade:

Powdered bicarbon-	
ate of soda1/4	ounce
Powdered borate of	
soda	ounce
Eau de cologne 1	ounce
Alcohol 2	ounces
Distilled water 16	ounce

Mix, and shake until solution is complete. Apply a little to the hair every night and massage well into the scalp. This, of course, is only to be used scalp. This, of course, is only to be used for those suffering from an uncomfortably moist condition of hair and scalp.

The receipt given below is that of a

general hair tonic used by Dr. Monin, of Paris. It is one of the best lotions for promoting the growth of the hair:

Carbolic acid 2	grams
Tincture of nux vomica 7½	grams
Tincture of red	
Peruvian bark 30 Tincture of can-	grams
tharides 2	grams
Eau de cologne120	grams
Cocoanut oil120	grams

Rub into the scalp with a piece of absorbent cotton once a day. This mix-ture prevents the falling out of the hair and produces a luxuriant growth. The formula should be put up only by a re-



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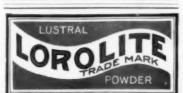
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A bit of Mrs. Daniel French's garden at Stock-bridge, Massachusetts, which she designed herself

### A SCHOOL for GARDENERS

\*HAT flower-growing has become more than a mere pastime with American women is witnessed by the increasingly large number of women exhibitors at the flower shows. Nor are they only rivaling men in producing lovely blossoms; the horti-cultural specimens shown frequently represent new or greatly improved strains. represent new or greatly improved strains. All of which goes to show that women are entering the lists as experts rather than novices. It is undoubtedly to the impetus furnished by the garden clubs that, of late, have sprung up like mushrooms all over the country that much of this specialization is due.

For many years the women of the English aristocracy have gone in for gardening and ever so many garden schools have come to life to meet the demand for knowledge of this sort. The Countess of Warick has done much to develop a taste for the scientific study of horticul-

taste for the scientific study of horticul-ture, and her estate is used as a schoolroom and laboratory by a number of young women who are making a study of this subject. Her own daughters have been brought up very close to naure, and their love for the simple life has ure, and their love for the simple life has passed into a proverb among the smart set of England. One of these girls, though now married, is still known as the "Bread-and-Butter Princess," because of her marked preference for agricultural pursuits rather than for the social routing.

Another smart English woman who is working along this line is the Hon.

Frances Garnet Wolseley, only child of Field-Marshal Wolseley. She is so in-terested in the scientific study of horti-culture that she has founded a school at Glynde, Sussex, for instructing women in gardening on scientific principles.

in gardening on scientific principles.

Now American women are following
suit, and many of the fine estates about
Newport, in the vicinity of Lenox,
Massachusetts, and down on Long Island,
show evidences of the artistic feminine
touch. Tangible evidence of this craze
for gardening is also noted in the inreasingly large number of young women in attendance at the Lowthorpe Garden School, the only school of specialized landscape gardening for women in the country. Other schools there are, where country. Other schools there are, where gardening is taught, but none that spe-cializes in all its branches as does this one.

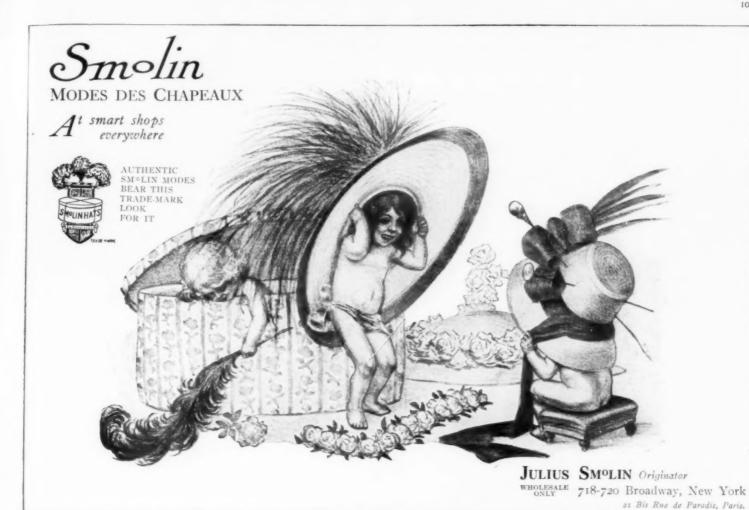
As it is set down in the heart of Gro-ton, Massachusetts, one of the loveliest of the old shire towns of New England, its environment alone is quite sufficient to inspire a love of nature in even the most citified feminine breast. A natural taste for and love of landscape architectaste for and love of landscape architec-ture, gardening, and horticulture are a necessary part of the credentials of any one desiring to enter.

The school occupies a Colonial man-

The school occupies a Colonia man-sion, built about 1800, and not unlike the home of the poet Longfellow. It was one time the home of a young ladies' seminary that boasted Margaret Fuller among its pupils, and has since then been the residence of various well-known (Continued on page 104)



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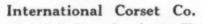
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The guest-house of "La Pausa" is the pic-turesque appendage of an ancient chapel

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ditional guest-room, that cor-ner of the house kept sacred to the rites of hospitality, is, like most things, becoming aggrandized. The guest-room is now a guest-house.

There are many reasons why this innovation should become popular, especially in houses of moderate accommodations on the bungalow type. tions on the bungalow type. In these instances, it is a simple enough matter to build a smaller house in the same grounds, where one or more guests can be quite as well entertained as formerly, and with more privacy to the visitor and less disturbance to the hostess.

FOR THE GUESTS OF NOVELISTS

This idea of the guest-house was reently carried out in a complete and idyllic fashion as an adjunct to the charming villa home which has been lately built in a beautiful villa region of the Riviera by those gifted collaborators in automobile fiction, the Williamsons. The Williamsons' villa "La Pausa," at

Roquebrune, is the center of a landed estate perched upon a mountain slope estate perched upon a mountain stope among gray olive trees and orange and lemon orchards, high above the blue waters of the Mediterranean. They themselves style it an "Italian bungalow," low and long, of one story, with loggias, and centered about a court. The walls are tinted rose color with touches of orange and vivid greens that recall Italy of the sunshine and brilliant skies. While "La Pausa" is commodious, it has been designed to accommodate only its owners, with the quarters of the servants in a wing. But this does not imply for a moment that the obligations of hos-pitality have been slighted. On the con-

HE one-time honored and tra- trary, the friends who are so fortunate as to be bidden here will enjoy an unusual experience in the rôle of guests.

In a corner of the grounds under gnarled olive trees stands a most original guest-house. It is indeed a quaint place of sojourn, for once upon a time it was an appendage of a tiny chapel, strongly buttressed against its ancient walls. tiny house is a relic of an age when safety and peace lay in clinging close to a sacred shrine, and to-day it stands for tranquillity and restfulness to the fortu-nate dweller within its walls.

### THE BOON OF PRIVACY

These walls, in harmony with those of the villa, are of a delicate pink with a roof of time-stained orange tiles. An outside stair of stone leads up to the two bedrooms, between which is a bathroom. A tiny, interior winding stair de-scends into the dining-room on the ground floor, off which opens a dainty kitchenette which suggests the domestic arrangements of a doll's house. This. however, does not insinuate that the visitor will be expected to bring her housekeeping cares along with her, packed in her luggage; it is only that she may have all the privacy of home with-out any of its burdens, for one of the maids will come over and prepare the "little breakfast" in the guest's own toy kitchen that it may be served piping hot whenever and wherever it may be desired -in the bedroom or the dining-room.

or, better still, upon the open terrace.

By this tactful arrangement the guest is left as free and untrammeled as at home; there need be no hurried toilets, fearful that one may be delaying the (Continued on page 104)



"La Pausa," the Riviera villa of those collaborators in automobile fiction, the Williamsons

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class by itself.

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"There is no escaping the fact that civilization, like the river tumbling and swirling between two lakes, is passing turbulently from the old convention of the last several generations to the unknown, almost unguessable convention of the not distant future. The feminist movement, the uprising of labor, the surging of innumerable socialistic currents, can mean nothing else than the certain readjustment of social levels. The demand of the people for the heritage of the bosses is not short of revolution. The rebellious din of frantic impressionistic groups is nothing if not strenuous protest against a frozen art. The changed Sabbath and the tempered sermon mark the coldly critical appraisement of religious creeds. And science, meantime, straining and sweating under the lash of progress, is passing from wonder unto wonder."

### THE SEPTEMBER CENTURY

"Love by Lightning,"
by Maria Thompson
Daviess (author of "The
Melting of Molly"), a
fresh and poignant story,
beautifully illustrated,
leads the fiction of the
September Century.
Among the long array of
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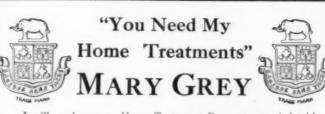
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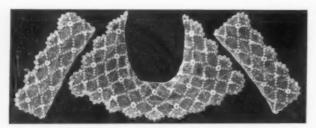
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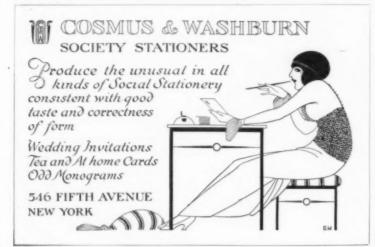


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### FOR the FRIENDS WITHIN OUR GATES

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breakfast hour of one's hosts, and that derings—hence the origin of its musimost trying morning hour, when one's cal name, "La Pausa." spirits, to say nothing of one's looks, are often at their lowest ebb, is thus delightfully bridged over.

### IN THE SHADOW OF A LEGEND

The terrace is a favored lounging place to read the morning papers and attend to the day's correspondence, that is, if one is not too distracted from the observance of these daily duties by the superb view of the most extensive and magnificent panorama of the Côte d'Azur.

Or it may be that one will want to explore the protecting, neighborly little chapel itself, the walls of which were once decorated with rare old frescoes, which a later and less esthetic gen-eration whitewashed out of sight. A pretty little legend is attached to this chapel, which tells of how the Virgin Mary came disguised to this wooded aerie, and was so kindly received that she blessed the spot with happiness forever. It was only right to acknowledge this blessing by building a chapel to commemorate this halt in the Virgin's wan-

As another morning diversion the As another morning diversion the guest may wander through the arched garden-gateway and follow the picturesque footpath which winds up just behind the guest-house into the old town of Cabbé-Roquebrune, perched on a rocky crag still higher up the mountain idea to writer the graphs of the starters. side, to explore the garden of the curé Just a pleasant morning walk this, before those who have rested beneath the sheltering tower of the guest-house stroll over through the rose-garden and its tesover through the rose-garden and its tes-sellated marble walks to join their hosts on the broad loggia, or under a genuine old Italian pergola, for the chat before luncheon in the artistic villa itself.

It may be that the guest-house will be a prominent feature of our new homemaking (there are already several iso-lated examples), for there is certainly much to commend the idea, even though the unique attributes and atmosphere of "La Pausa" are not always obtainable, BLANCHE MCMANUS.

# GARDEN

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personages, among them Judge Dana. Its latest occupant was Mrs. Edward Gilchrist Low, by whom the school was founded in 1901.

It is now three years since the school was incorporated and the sight of a number of young girls, clad in their gardening togs, and working hard at pruning, clipping, and transplanting has long ce ceased to be a novelty to the pass y. It is now taken as a matter o erby. It is now taken as a matter of course to see several girls carrying the chain, and using the tape, level, and compass to grade or level the grounds in precisely the same skilled manner as men. At times, groups of them pay visits to horticultural exhibitions, to the private estates of some big landholder, or to the public parks of suburban Boston to get points from experts in the craft. points from experts in the craft.

To the lay mind, the term gardening is suggestive of a pleasurable occupation of a more or less superficial character, but when applied to landscape gardening it takes on a very different aspect, as Miss L. Louise Hetzer, Dean of Lowthorpe School, will tell you.

### THE LENOX GARDEN CLUB

Up in the Berkshires a great impetus has been given flower growing and landscape architecture by the formation of the Lenox Garden Club, which Mr. Thomas Shields Clarke, of New York, Thomas Shields Clarke, of New York, started a couple of years ago. Among the residents of that section who are members are Mrs. Chalmers Clarkson, of New York; Mrs. Daniel French, of New York, whose summer home is at Stockbridge; Miss Kohlsaat; Miss Georgiana Sargent, of Lenox; Miss Emily Biddle, of Philadelphia, who summers at Lenox, and Miss Mabel Choate and Miss Gertrude Parsons, of New York Gertrude Parsons, of New York, Mrs. Daniel French designed her own

flower garden, and takes the keenest en-joyment in adding new beauties to it each spring. The club has instituted more or less rivalry among the summer residents with the result that the gardens tific gardening.

of the Berkshires increase in beauty every year. During the season flower shows are held, and the exhibits compare favorably with those grown by expert florists. A fact which is indicative of the success of women in horticulture was the success of women in horticulture was the exhibition of plants and flowers shown by Mrs. H. McK. Twombly, at the International Flower Show in New York this spring. Mrs. Twombly carried off no end of prizes for her exhibits; one of the finest was for a mammoth red azalea showing more than two thousand blooms. Her bay trees were also prizewinners.

### THE NEWPORT GARDENERS

During the season at Newport, there During the season at Newport, incre are many women who take a keen in-terest in horticulture. Mrs. Thomas J. Emery of Cincinnati, Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. R. Livingston Beeckman, and Mrs. George Henry Warren of New York have all devoted themselves to gardening to a greater or less extent, and the grounds about their homes are

under their personal supervision.

Miss Beatrix Jones, daughter of Mrs.
Cadwalader Jones, well known in Boston, New York, and Philadelphia, has undoubtedly done much to arouse feminine interest in scientific gardening in Newport, for she is an expert landscape Newport, for she is an expert landscape gardener, in fact, the woman pioneer in this branch of work. She has laid out many of the finest Newport gardens, one of which is that of Mr. James J. Van Alen. It was also her privilege to restore the gardens at Mt. Vernon, George Washington's beautiful Virginia home. Her success is promising for others who are following in her footsteps, and it seems probable that before very long the list of women horticultural experts will be a counterpart of the social register, which is an admirable thing, for women of leisure and means with a love of nature in their hearts are in a position to advance appreciably the cause of scien-

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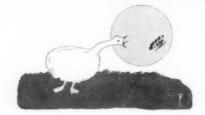




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Baker.—Suddenly, on July 25th, at Tuxedo Park, N. Y., Florence T. Baker, wife of George F. Baker.

Brown,—On August 5th, Vernon H. Brown, son of the late Vernon and Susan Howland Brown.

De Grove.—On August 4th, in Paris, France, Henriette De Grove, widow of E. Ritzema De Grove.

Elson.—On August 7th, at Narragansett

Elson.—On August 7th, at Narragansett Pier, Kate Rogers Elson, wife of Henry

Laimbeer.—Suddenly, on August 4th, at Hempstead, L. I., William Laimbeer, hus-band of Nathalie Schenck Laimbeer. Larocque.—Suddenly, on August 6th, Louis E. Larocque, son of the late Joseph

Louis E. Larocque, son of the late Joseph Larocque.

Lee.—On July 26th. Frederick Howard Lee, son of the late William Henry Lee.
Ogden.—On August 6th, at Kennebunkport, Me., Robert Curtis Ogden.

Pell.—Suddenly, on August 3rd, at Long Beach, L. I., Samuel Osgood Pell, son of the late John Howland Pell.

Plant.—On August 7th, at her country home, at Branford House, New London, Nellie Capron Plant, wife of Morton F. Plant.

Beebe,—On July 22nd, Emily E. Beebe, daughter of Mr. J. Arthur Beebe. Longfellow.—On August 4th, at Glouces-ter, Mass., William Pitt Preble Longfellow. PHILADELPHIA

Rodney .- On August 3rd, John Henry

### Engaged

Ayers-Starr.—Miss Emily Dearborn Ayers, daughter of the late Col. Charles Greenleaf Ayers and Mrs. Ayers, to Mr. George Emlen Starr, son of the late Col. James Starr.

Chappell, Kunhardt.—Miss Louise Chap-pell, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Walter F. Chappell, to Mr. Henry Rudolph Kunhardt, 3rd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Kun-

hardt.

Forbes-Baldwin.—Miss Natalie Livingston Forbes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.
Holland Forbes, to Mr. Howard McArdle
Baldwin, of Washington, D. C., son of the
late Ralph Powers Baldwin.

Fowler-West.—Miss Dorothy Fowler,
daughter of Mrs. Anderson Fowler, to Mr.
George Saltonstall West, of Chestnut Hill,
Boston, Mass.

Hazard Moss.—Miss. Extension, Massel.

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Hazard-Moss.—Miss Katherine Hazard.
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Hazard.
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daughter of Mr. George Ellsworth
Koues, daughter of Mr. George Ellsworth
Koues, to Dr. Ernest Sachs, of St. Louis.
Landon-Sawyer.—Miss Edith Landon,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hutton
Landon, to Mr. Eugene Mitchell Sawyer,
of Tyrone, N. M., son of Mr. and Mrs.
Robert W. Sawyer, of Bangor, Me.
Peters-Pierpont.—Miss Pauline Peters,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Peters, of
Garden City, L. I., to George W. Pierpont.

Adams-Harrington.—Miss Amelie Adams, daughter of Mr. Edward Reneau Adams, to Mr. William Eugene Harrington,

Downing-Knight.—Miss Madeline Downing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Downing, to Mr. Raymond Demere Knight, of Jacksonville, Fla.

Layton-Mobley. — Miss Mary Layton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Layton, of Houston, Texas, to Mr. Louis R. Mobley.

De Hart-Middleton.—Miss Mina Winslow De Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Chetwood De Hart, to Mr. Nathan Atherton Middleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Middleton.

Manning-Jones.—Miss Harriet Cleveland Manning, daughter of Mrs. Manning and the late Joseph Cogswell Manning, of Ruxton, Md., to Mr. Hanson Weems Jones, son of Mrs. Jones and the late Judge John Wallace Jones.

Channing-Fuller.—Miss Elizabeth Torrey Channing, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Ed-ward Channing, to Mr. Willard Perrin Ful-ler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick T. Fuller.

Scott-Blossom.—Miss Beryl Scott, daugher of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Scott, to Mr. blu T. Blossom.
Von Luettwitz-Von Stumm.—Baroness

Irma von Luettwitz, daughter of Col. Baron von Luettwitz and Baroness von Luettwitz (formerly Miss Mary Cary), ot Hamburg, Germany, to Herr Gustav Braun von Stumm.

Irvine-Henry.—Miss Josephine Navarre Irvine, daughter of Mrs. Robert J. C. Ir-vine and the late Lieutenant-Colonel Ir-vine, to Mr. Burns Henry, son of Mr. Albert M. Henry.

Harrison-Hill.—Miss Helen I. Harrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Harrison, to Mr. Allan Janney Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace M. Hill.

PHILADELPHIA

Morgan-Perry.—Miss Elizabeth Merrick Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Morgan, of Germantown, to Mr. Wal-ter Perry, of Ansonia, Conn.

Huston-Bartlett.—Miss Nanette Huston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hus-ton, of Robindale, Sewickley, Pa., to Mr. Edmund Benton Bartlett, of San Diego, California.

Wood-Morse. — Miss Elizabeth Wood, daughter of Mrs. Thomas J. Wood, to Mr. Edwin Kirtland Morse,

Dearth. Foley. — Miss Elizabeth Doran earth, daughter of Mrs. Elmer H. Dearth, Mr. Frederic Foley, son of Mrs. Thomas

Gibbons-Rogers.—Miss Ida L. Gibbons to Mr. Kennedy Grogan Rogers, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyon Rogers, of Green Spring Valley, Md.

Ritchie-Dunott.—Miss Mary Harrison Ritchie, daughter of the late Judge Ritchie, of Maryland, and sister of Mrs. Donald McLean, to Mr. Justus Dunott, of Balti-more, son of Mrs. Dunott and the late Dr. Thomas Justus Dunott.

### Weddings

Kirkbride-Humphreys .- On Kirkbride-Humphreys.—On July 31st, in St. Oswald's Parish Church, Grasmere, England, Mr. Franklin Kirkbride, son of Mrs. Thomas S. Kirkbride, of Philadelphia, and Miss Lydia Bell Humphreys. Littell-Firth.—On August 7th, at the home of the bride's mother. Heaton Grange, South Orange, N. J., Mr. William Barnard Littell and Miss Beatrice Firth, daughter of Mrs. John Firth, Salisbury-Barnard.—On July 21st, at

daugnter of Mrs. John Firth,

Salisbury-Barnard.—On July 21st, at
Bellows Falls, Vt., Mr. James Salisbury
and Miss Lilybel Barnard, daughter of
Commodore and Mrs. William H. Barnard.

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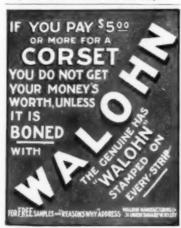
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## "Neither a Myth nor a Magazine but a Real Personality"

Follows a quotation from the letter that won the special prize of \$10 offered in Vogue's recent contest for the best letter dealing with our advertisements. Notice that to this woman, as to so many others, "Vogue is neither a myth nor even a magazine—it is a real personality."

It is rather a curious fact that most prize winners in our various contests are Southerners. The writer of this letter, for example, hails from Georgia.

Dear Vogue:

Every copy of Vogue is a "marked copy" for me. When I am ready to start down town I don't make a shopping list—I simply turn the pages of my last Vogue, all more or less marked.

I live in the South, and when last Fall I came to New York for the first time my friends were amazed that I knew the shops so well. I knew how to go to — 's little 23rd Street shop for crochet silk, as well as to — 's for blouses. And there was one place I could hardly wait to see.

Do you remember quoting a witty New York man as saying that he would like to knock the front off all the Madison Avenue homes to see what was happening behind them?

Well, after reading my Vogue I could hardly wait to "knock the front off" number — West 33rd Street. The woman in charge of this shop was ordinarily kind and courteous when I first went in. But as soon as I mentioned that I came from the South and knew her only through Vogue, she was all smiles and sunshine!

Nothing would do but I must have a seat and she must show me the stack of boxes all addressed to people in my beloved Southland and all ordered through Vogue. Then she must draw forth a lot of things saved for special exhibition—and incidentally, sell me a Paul Poiret dahlia and a little bouquet of French roses.

Just let me say, in conclusion, that Vogue isn't a myth to me, it isn't even a magazine, it is a real personality and a most interesting and significant one.

Sincerely yours,

# Another letter—this time from a Kentuckian—tells how useful Vogue's advertising pages have been to one of the writer's friends.

While visiting an old schoolgirl friend last week, I saw Vogue in a most prominent place on her library table. "Why, I couldn't get along without Vogue," Mary said. "I would not think of buying a new dress, hat or almost anything, including furniture, without seeing the latest number."

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Mary's home is dear. Her things, just everything, are so up to date. Even her husband isn't immune. Often he is found poring over Vogue, and he puts in his order now and then.

The other prize winning letters will be printed in forthcoming numbers. They include a letter from Maryland that almost won second prize; another from a little girl in the far West who won a special \$5 prize; and, of course, the letters that carried off the \$10 prizes for the best letters on "Seen in the Shops," "Answers to Correspondents," and the Vogue Pattern Service and Shopping Service. All contain valuable hints.



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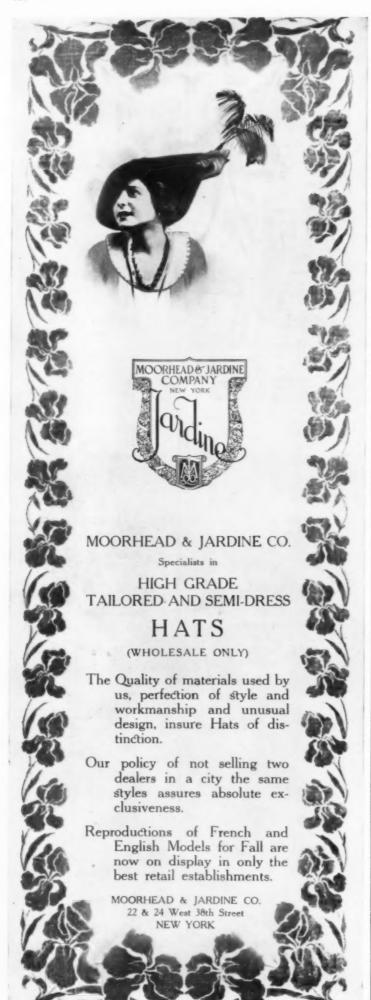
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Slater-Allen.—On August oth, at the summer home of the bride's family, York Harbor, Maine, Mr. William A. Slater, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Slater, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Madeline Howe Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Howe Allen, Washburn-Clarkson.—On August 2nd, in St. Paul's Church, Tivoli, N. Y., Mr. Frank A. B. Washburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Tucker Washburn, and Miss Pauline Livingston Clarkson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. L. Clarkson.

Adreon-Dame.—On July 23rd, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Franklin Adreon, of Anne Arundel Co., Va., and Miss Amelia Page Dame, daughter of the Rev. George W. Dame.

Washington-Ames.—On July 17th, at the summer home of the bride's parents, Winchester, Va., Mr. George Lafayette Washington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blackburn Washington, and Miss Katherine Parke Ames, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blanchard Ames, of Brookline, Mass.

McCormick-Samuelson.—On July 31st, at St. John the Baptist's Church, Kirby-Wiske, Yorkshire, England, Mr. Edward Hamilton McCormick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton McCormick, formerly of Chicago, now of London, England, and Miss Phyllis Mary Samuelson, daughter of Mr. Francis Samuelson, of Breckenborough Hall.

#### PHILADELPHIA

Cookman-Cramp.—On July 26th, in Holy Trinity Memorial Chapel, Mr. Wharton Griffitts Cookman, son of Mr. and Mrs. James de W. Cookman, and Miss Helen Cramp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Court-land D. Cramp.

Mulford-Bayly.—On August 7th, in St. Thomas's Church, Whitemarsh. Mr. Spencer K. Mulford, Jr., and Miss Mary Gittings Bayly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Rogers Bayly.

#### ST. PAUL

Dawson-Hubbell.—On July 24th, at the Dayton Avenue Presbyterian Church, Mr. Vincent Walsh Dawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Dawson, and Miss Kate Tew Hubbell, daughter of Mrs. James Boyd Hubbell.

Fairlie-Wilson.—On August 20th, Mr. Hugh Fairlie and Miss Grace Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James K. Wilson. Hill-Gallois.—On July 24th, at the Church of Notre Dame des Victoires, Mr. Horace Lewis Hill, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace L. Hill, and Miss Jeanne Marie Gallois, daughter of Mrs. Eugene Gallois.

Dunbar-Bennett.—On August 7th, at the home of the bride, Judge William M. Dunbar, of Augusta, Ga., and Mrs. Virginia T.

Bennett.

Graffenreid-Knapp.—On August 11th, at
St. Marks Church, Mr. William Roy Graffenreid, of Louisville, Ky., and Miss Dorothy Knapp, daughter of Mrs. Charles Lafayette Knapp.

#### Weddings to Come

NEW YORK

Steele-Milburn,—On November 1st, at
Westbury, L. L., Miss Nancy Steele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steele, to Mr.,
Devereux Milburn, son of Mr. and Mrs.
John G. Milburn.

Bowen-Phelps.—On October 11th, at the home of the bride's mother, Miss Louise Bowen, daughter of Mrs. Joseph T. Bowen, to Mr. Mason Phelps, son of Mrs. Elliott H. Phelps.

H. Phelps.
Hayden-Leigh.—On October 8th, Miss Frances Elizabeth Hayden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith Hayden, to Carl Garden Leigh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leigh.

Charles Leigh.

Lyford-Boyd.—On October 4th, at Seven Gables, Wheaton, Ill., Miss Gertrude Lyford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hartford Lyford, to Mr. Edwin Ruthven Boyd, of Glasgow, Scotland.

Rothschild-Tyson.—On September 3rd, at the Church of St. John the Evangelist, Miss Madeline Rothschild, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Valentine J. Rothschild, to Mr. Charles Elwood Tyson, of Chicago, Ill.

Page-Buckingham.—On September 6th, Miss Dorothy Page, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Page, to Mr. Charles Buck-

ingham.

Peterson-Maillard.—On September 20th, at the home of the bride's parents, in Belvedere, Miss Kate P. Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand C. Peterson to Mr. John Ward Maillard, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ward Maillard.

#### Birth

Brett.—A son, at Orchard Lea, Windsor Forest, England, to the Hon, and Mrs. Oliver Brett (née Antoinette Heckscher).

#### Horse Shows

September 1-3.-Newport, R. I. Horse

how. September 1-5.—Rutland, Vt. September 3-4.—Orangeburg, N. Y. September 8-13.—Syracuse, N. Y. September 9-12.—Fair Haven, Vt. September 9-12.—Wilmington, Del.

#### Polo

September 6-13.—Buffalo Country Club. September 6-13.—Myopia Dedham Club, Dedham or Hamilton, Mass. September 8-13.—Squadron A, New York City.

#### Tennis

September 1.—Annual Open Tournament, Fairmont, W. Va., C. C. September 1.—Championship of Great Lakes Park Club, Buffalo, N. Y. September 2.—Lake George Championship, Sagamore, N. Y., T. C. September 3.—Intercollegiate Championship, Merion C. C., Philadelphia. September 5.—Invitation Tournament, Nassau C. C., Glen Cove, L. I. September 5.—Invitation Tournament, Hollywood Golf Club, West End, N. J. September 6.—Open Tournament, Excelsior T. C., Bristol, R. I. September 6.—California State Championship, Oakland, Cal., C. C. September 8.—New Jersey State Championship, Morristown, N. J. September 8.—Open Tournament, Edgewood C. C., Charlestown, W. Va. September 8.—Opin State Championship, Moristown, W. Va. September 8.—Ohio State Championship, East End T. C., Cleveland, Ohio.



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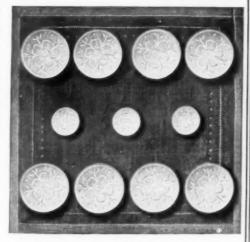
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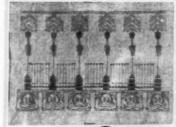
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The elaborate design at the upper left may be used for various purposes, such as the ends of a library table scarf, or a sideboard or dresser cover. If designed on satin sheeting, for the cover of a silvery-green, or mahogany table, it would very-green, or mahogany table, it would be best embroidered in green and gold, or black and gold. The solid parts of the design are done in a raised satin stitch in shades of glossy, old-gold silk; the base and leaf-like parts in dull shades of salad green, outlined with black. The tiny, trellis-like part is of heavy gold thread sewed on with tiny threads of gold silk. threads of gold silk.

#### AN "ART NOUVEAU" PILLOW

A coarse, even-threaded mesh of nat-ural colored, soft gray, tan, or green linen should form the background of the artistic pillow at the upper right. The border of the design is made of alternat-ing flower and disc motifs. The petals of the flowers are in a plain, lace stitch of twisted, mercerized thread in a hun-ter's-green shade. Each is outlined with heavy, black thread and each is centered heavy, black thread, and each is centered by a cluster of black, French knots. The disc motif is made in a tapestry stitch of salad-green thread and outlined with hunter's green. The corner motifs inside the border are embroidered in an Oriental stitch called the couching stitch—the "lying down" of thread. Heavy threads of silk, linen, or mercerized, untwisted silk are carried from end to end to form the design, and crossed with two tiny, single

threads, caught to form even squares. These motifs are in two shades of gold silk, and are outlined with a soft, green, twisted thread of mercerized cotton. The wreath, a tapestry stitch, is in salad and the leaves and the vine, and the darker shade outlining the whole design. The flower in the center is in two shades

#### AN OOZE LEATHER BOOK COVER

The book cover shown in the middle The book cover snown in the mount of the group may be embroidered on ooze leather, satin, or kid. The stitchery, in shades of gold, soft blue, and faded green, is raised by an under-filling of cotton. The little, fruit-like motifs at the least of the design are in shades of soft. base of the design are in shades of soft, china blue, lighter at the top and gradu-ally darkening at the lower part. The leaflets of the center spirals are in soft sorrel or faded greens.

The design at the lower right of the

group may be used for a luncheon cloth. For a cloth to be used with white china it should be of fine white linen. The flat, trellis work should be in mercerized cot-tons and the raised corners in blue and cream white. If to be used at a Dutch luncheon, the cloth may be of creamy or natural linen with a two-stranded trellis of pale blue thread, and the clover motifs in darker blue.

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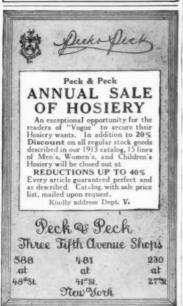
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This summer, if I wear simply black, are diamond rings and pins allowable, and when? Should I wear black and white in the future? Also, should bor-dered cards and stationery be laid aside?

Ans .- As you have been in mourning for three years, we think you should cease to wear it, unless you are doing so for some special reason. In this case we advise you to lighten it, wearing black and white in combination.

With half-mourning it is quite permissible to wear diamond pins and rings. When wearing second mourning it is

better form to omit the border from your stationery. But as you have been in mourning so long, you need not go through the period of second mourning—you can go directly from black into colors if you wish to do so.

#### To Mrs. T. P. H.

Will you kindly give me the correct form for acknowledging wedding gifts? Ans.—The correct way is to write a personal note to each donor. This may be done on a correspondence card and may be as formal or friendly as the acquaintance demands. There is no regular form that we can possibly suggest.

#### To Dr. C. W.

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#### To Miss P. S.

My father, mother and I wish to return a call on Mr. and Mrs. Jones, and Miss Jones. If my father goes, shall we send up by the maid three cards of his, and two each of mother's and mine? It seems so many! And I understand it is

Ans.—You are right in thinking that fewer cards are left than formerly. When your father, mother and yourself return a call on Mr. and Mrs. Jones, and Miss Jones, one card for each is sufficient. It goes without saying that you are including all members of the family old enough to be in society. The entire etiquette of cards is discussed on page 39 of this number of Vogue

#### To Mr. M. L. F.

I would like to know if, in these days

of sanity, a man should wear a mustache?

Ans.—Mustaches happen now to be worn more or less by the best class of men. It is a good deal a matter of prefer--whichever may be more becoming.

#### To Miss E. R.

What is the very newest way of an-

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Ans.—The most usual way is for the Ans.—The most usual way is for the girl and the man to write to their intimate friends. Then it is usual for the engagement to be published in the news-

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#### Fruit and Flowers?

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The Awakening

## To Women Suffragists Everywhere

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We illustrate the model that has been most generally appreciated this summer.



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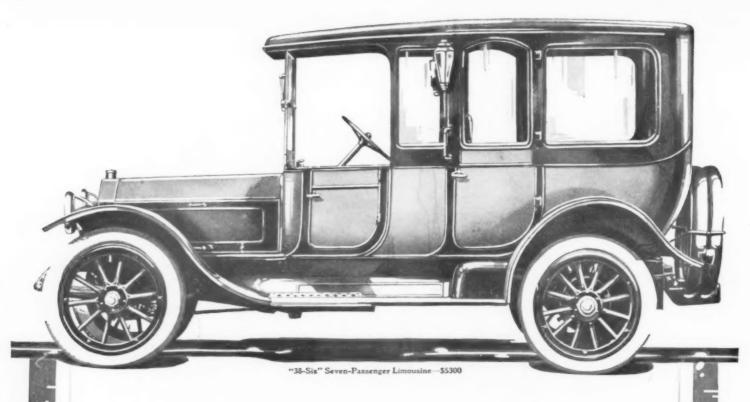
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